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BIRTHS.

HEANE.—June 1, the wife of James Heane, of Barbigal, Dubbo, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

BUTLER—JOHNSTON.—April 17, by the Rev. J. A. Nolan, Leonard Butler, eldest son of Leonard Butler, of Balmain, to Mary Johnston, eldest daughter of Benjamin Johnston, of Manchester, England.

MEDCALF—BEST.—May 27, at St. Peter's, Woolloomooloo, by the Rev. J. G. Southby, incumbent of St. Ann's, Ryde, Charles Cole, second son of the late Thomas Medcalf, of Buntingford, England, to Elizabeth Ann, only daughter of George Best, of North Villa, Ryde, Parramatta River.

DEATHS.

BURNES.—June 9, at Sydney, Adam Burnes, Esq., late general manager of the National Bank of New Zealand, aged 41.

FANE DE SALIS.—June 7, at Cunnoorumbalong, Rodolph Fane De Salis, of Strathmore, Queensland, second son of Hon. L. Fane De Salis.

MAIDMENT.—June 10, at her residence, Glebe Road, Mary, the beloved wife of Mr. George Maidment, in her 50th year, late of Hartford, England.

ROSS.—June 11, at his residence, 38, Liverpool-street, Darlinghurst, James Allan Ross, aged 23 years and 8 months.

SHIPPING.

THE EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY (Limited).
OVERLAND ROUTE via BRISBANE, NORTHERN QUEENSLAND PORTS, TORRES STRAITS, JAVA and SINGAPORE, to EUROPE, INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN, and AMERICA.
The Company's magnificent steamship
SINGAPORE, 1800 tons,
built expressly for the trade,
J. H. Drake, Esq., commander,
under contract with the Queensland Government, will be despatched, from the Cosmopolitan Wharf, for
BRISBANE,
on TUESDAY, 13th June, at 5 o'clock p.m.,
taking H. M. mails and passengers for above ports, and also goods and specie for Somerset, Java, Singapore, and Hongkong direct; or for transhipment to Europe, China, Japan, or America.

This Company, having effected satisfactory arrangements with the Messageries Maritimes mail steamers, is prepared to book passengers at a through rate to Marseilles or any port at which the M. M. mail steamers call.

For full particulars as to rates of passage and other information apply to
SCOTT, HENDERSON, and CO., Agents.

PACIFIC MAIL S. S. CO.—OVERLAND ROUTE TO GREAT BRITAIN, THROUGH AMERICA.
Under contract with N. S. W. and N. Z. Governments.
CITY OF NEW YORK,
3000 tons, [illegible], commander,
will be dispatched for Kandavu
at 3 p.m., on FRIDAY, [illegible] June, carrying her Majesty's mails, and passengers, to Fiji, to be transhipped thence; or CITY OF SAN FRANCISCO
to Honolulu, and San Francisco.
Passengers booked for Fiji, Honolulu, and America.

This line offers special inducements to passengers, the steamers having been built expressly for the Pacific trade, fitted with all modern improvements for ventilation in a hot climate, and having superior accommodation for 150 first-class passengers.

The contractors being in combination with the Union and Central Pacific Railway Companies, passengers may rely on every attention and facility being afforded them in their journey across the American continent.

For rates of passage and freight, and for all other information, apply to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., Agents,
Spring-street.

THE M. R. S. N. Co.'s Steamer DIAMANTINA, for MANNING RIVER direct, 24 hours after arrival.
J. RITCHIE, Agent.

THE CLARENCE and NEW ENGLAND STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS from the Cosmopolitan Wharf, foot of King-street.—For GRAFTON (Clarence River), via Newcastle, the New England, TO-MORROW (Tuesday) NIGHT, at 10 o'clock.
P. S. BUYERS, pro Manager.

THE C. AND R. R. S. N. COMPANYS' STEAMSHIPS will be dispatched as follows (weather permitting):—
TO GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER, via Newcastle.—The favourite paddle-steamship AGNES IRVING, TO-MORROW NIGHT, Tuesday, at 9, and every TUESDAY, at 9 p.m., leaving Grafton every Saturday morning at 8.
TO THE MACLEAY RIVER, via Newcastle.—The PAULINA, TO-NIGHT, Monday, at 9, and every MONDAY.
TO THE RICHMOND RIVER.—The PLATYPUS, on arrival from that port (now detained through stress of weather.)
CARGO received daily for transmission to any of the above ports.
JOHN WHITE, Secretary, Sussex-street.

HUNTER RIVER N. S. N. CO.—STEAM TO NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, RAYMOND TERRACE, &c.
FROM SYDNEY.
This (Monday) NIGHT, at 11, the MAITLAND.
On WEDNESDAY MORNING, at 9, the MORPETH.
F. J. THOMAS, Manager.
Offices—foot of Market-street.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS.
TO MELBOURNE.—City of Adelaide, to-morrow afternoon, Tuesday, at 4.30. FARES: SALOON AT CURRENT RATES.
TO NEWCASTLE, RAYMOND TERRACE, and MORPETH.—Coonanbara, this morning, Monday, at 9; and to-morrow night, Tuesday, at 11; and Collaroy, Wednesday night, at 11.
TO CLARENCE TOWN.—(For Passengers and Cargo) —Coonanbara, to-morrow night, Tuesday, at 11 (FREIGHT PAYABLE IN SYDNEY.)
TO NOUMEA (NEW CALEDONIA). Steamer on or about Thursday.
TO BRISBANE.—Egmont, this day, Monday, at 4 p.m.
TO MARYBOROUGH.—Steamer early.
TO ROCKHAMPTON.—Boomerang, Wednesday afternoon, at 4.
TO PORT DENISON.—Victoria, on or about Wednesday, at 4.
TO CLEVELAND BAY.—Victoria, on or about Wednesday, at 4 p.m.
TO COOKTOWN WHARF.—Victoria, on or about Wednesday, at 4 p.m.
CARGO is now being received for transmission to any of the above ports.
FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.

THE NEWCASTLE STEAMSHIP COMPANY (Limited).
The S. S. KEMBLA will leave Sydney for NEWCASTLE every MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, and FRIDAY NIGHT, at half-past 11 o'clock.
And leave NEWCASTLE for SYDNEY every TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY, and SATURDAY MORNING, at 10 o'clock.
FARES AT CURRENT RATES.
Light packages of freight for CLARENCE TOWN [illegible] freight payable in Sydney.
Offices, Patent Slip Wharf, Sydney, and Scott-street, Newcastle.
H. D. PORTUS, Manager.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE, BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, AND NEWCASTLE.
The M. S. S. CO. will dispatch the STEAMSHIPS (when practicable) as follows, from STRUTH'S WHARF, foot of King-street:—

FOR MELBOURNE:

Ship.	Master.	Sailing Dates.
MACEDON ..	J. R. Clark ..	TO-MORROW, at 12 noon.
BARRABOOL.	J. Pain......	FRIDAY, at 12 noon.
FOR NEWCASTLE:		
BARRABOOL.	J. Pain......	THIS NIGHT, at 8 p.m.
FOR BRISBANE AND MARYBOROUGH:		
EDINA	J. H. South ..	FRIDAY, June 23

Carrying passengers and cargo. Time tables on application.
Return tickets issued to and from MELBOURNE available for two months by any of the Company's steamers.
Cargo received for the above ports every day.
Steamers leave Sydney for Melbourne every TUESDAY and FRIDAY, and vice versa.
All the vessels have their SALOONS amidships, and are victualled by the owners.
WM. HOWARD SMITH, Struth's Wharf.

STEAM TO AUCKLAND. The powerful and favourite s.s. HERO, 1000 tons,
Thomas Logan, commander,
will leave the Grafton Wharf direct for Auckland on WEDNESDAY, 14th June, at 4 p.m.
SHIPPERS are requested to make engagements and take shipping orders without delay.
Passengers should lose no time in securing cabins.
The saloon is amidships.
For freight or passage apply to
BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents,
52, Pitt-street.

FOR PORT PIRIE DIRECT.—The clipper schooner EDITH MAY, Captain Anderson, sails in a few days under charter. For passage only apply to GIBSON and HALE, Agents, 237, George-street.

ILLAWARRA S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS.—TO WOLLONGONG and KIAMA.—To-night, at 11.
SHOALHAVEN.—To-morrow, at 11 p.m.
SHELLHARBOUR.—To-morrow, 8 p.m.
MERIMBULA, Eden, and Tathra.—Wednesday, 9.15 a.m.
ULLADULLA and CLYDE.—Friday, 9.15 a.m.
MORUYA (for cargo only).—Friday, 9.15 a.m.

FIFTEEN MILES FOR ONE SHILLING; RETURN, EIGHTEENPENCE.
PARRAMATTA AND RIVER STEAMERS.—EMU, PELICAN, and ECLIPSE, THIS DAY.
From King-street—7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5
From Parramatta—7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5
For Hunter's Hill—7, 9, 11 a.m.; 1, 3, 4.15, 5, 6.15, 11
From Hunter's Hill—8.15, 9.15, 10.15 a.m.; 12.15, 2.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7 p.m. Hunter's Hill, and Cockatoo—Fares, 1st class, 9d; return, 1s. 2nd class, 6d; return, 9d.
Calling at Fitzroy Dock, Hunter's Hill, Gladesville, Ryde, Ermington, Newington, and Subiaco.

BRISBANE WATER. PELICAN, from King-st., every Tuesday and Friday, returning same day.

STEAM to HOBART TOWN direct.—Steamship TASMAN, from GRAFTON WHARF, TUESDAY, 20th June, at 4 p.m.

Saloon	..	£6 6
Return (available four months) ..	..	10 10
Steerage	..	3 10

For freight or passage, apply to
T. and W. WILLIS, 48, Pitt-street.

MANLY BEACH STEAMERS leave:—
Queen's Wharf..7.15, 10.15, 11.30, 2.15, 4.30, 5.30.
Woolloomooloo..10.30, 11.45, 2.30
Manly Beach..8.15, 9.15, 12.3 15, 4.15, 5.30.
Fare—Return ticket, 1s 6d; children, 1s.
J. R. CAREY.

FOR LONDON.—The magnificent first-class new iron clipper ship WESTERN MONARCH,
J. Watson, commander.
This fine ship is now ready to receive cargo, and will have quick dispatch.
She has a full poop, with most superior accommodation for cabin passengers, who will be provided with bed, bedding, &c.
For rates of freight apply to
YOUNG and LARK, George-street.
Wool received at Talbot's.

FOR LONDON.—The A1 clipper ship ROODEPARELL,
1014 tons register, J. A. Sandberg, commander,
will have quick dispatch.
For freight or passage apply to the Captain on board; or to
JOHN FRAZER and CO.

FIRST SHIP FOR LONDON.—The ALEXANDER DUTHIE.
This favourite [illegible] trader having nearly all her cargo [illegible] sail [illegible] June. Intending passengers are invited to inspect her superior accommodation.
For freight or passage apply on board to Captain MURRAY; or to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., Agents.
Wool received at Lloyd's Stores, Cosmopolitan Wharf.

FOR LONDON.—The A1 clipper ship, ANDREW REID,
790 tons register, James Hill, commander,
having the whole of her dead weight engaged, is also a large quantity of her other cargo, will have quick dispatch.
Can accommodate a few second-class passengers.
For terms, &c., apply to Captain on board; or to
DANGAR, GEDYE, and CO.
Wool received at Marden's.

ABERDEEN CLIPPER LINE FOR LONDON.
The A1 clipper STRATHDON,
1011 tons register, R. Jamieson, commander,
having the greater portion of her cargo engaged will sail about 20th June.
Passengers are invited to inspect her roomy and comfortable cabin accommodation.
For freight or passage apply to Captain JAMIESON, on board; or to
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.
Wool received at Talbot and Co.'s Stores.

FOR LONDON.—The first class ship MARTIN LUTHER, A1, 794 tons,
C. N. Shumming, commander,
having a considerable portion of her dead weight engaged, will have immediate dispatch.
For freight or passage apply to the Captain, on board; or E. and W. PAUL, Agents, 62, Margaret-street.
B. P. CAMPBELL, Broker, 3, Gresham-street.
Wool received at Talbot's Stores.

FOR LEVUKA, AVIUNI, AND SAVU SAVU, FIJI.—The clipper barque BEHRING, T. Brown, master, is now receiving cargo at Market Wharf, and will have immediate dispatch. Passengers are invited to inspect the superior accommodation.
For freight or passage, at reduced rates, apply on board; or to
RABONE, FEEZ, and CO.

FIRST VESSEL FOR AUCKLAND.—The clipper brig SYREN, H. H. Bower, commander. Cargo received at Patent Slip Wharf. For freight or passage apply to WM. LAIDLEY and CO., Agents, Exchange, Pitt-street.

FOR ADELAIDE.—Clipper schooner SOPHIE, 400 tons burthen, will have quick dispatch. For freight or passage apply NIPPER and SEN, Sussex-street; or GIBSON and HALE, Agents, 237, George-st.

ELLEN, for Eden and Tathra, TUESDAY, Victoria Wharf. All freights must be paid by shippers.

FOR RICHMOND RIVER (all parts), BERTHA J. Leonard, master, going up to Lismore. Now receiving cargo at the Patent Slip Wharf. Freight payable in Sydney. G. F. MASON, Agent.

FOR BELLINGER RIVER. Lalla Rookh. Freight or passage, apply on board—Lime-street Wharf.

ELIZA, for BELLINGER RIVER. For freight apply on board, Lime-street Wharf.

FOR SALE, a Fishing BOAT, 24 feet by 8 feet, all gear complete. 1.0, Elizabeth-st. North. Price, £60.

FOR SALE, the new clipper schooner MAVIS, built of hardwood, coppered and copper-fastened. Carries 160 tons general cargo on a draught of 7 feet 4 inches. Splendid vessel for intercolonial or island trade.
For all particulars apply to GIBSON and HALE, Agents, 237, George-street.

SPECIAL NOTICE FOR CONSIGNEES.—S.S. EASBY, from New Zealand, is now discharging at Cosmopolitan Wharf, and all cargo will be there at risk of consignees, and, if not promptly removed, be stored at their expense, if to a one can be found for it. FORD, ADAMS, and CO., Agents, Circular Quay.

S. S. WOONONA, from Adelaide.—CONSIGNEES are requested to pass ENTRIES at once for Grafton Wharf. Bills of Lading must be produced, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained before any cargo can leave the wharf.
Any consignment impeding discharge, will be landed under imperfect entry.
BULLI COAL M. COMPANY,
per GEORGE HAMILTON.
Exchange, 10th June.

SHIP BLACK PRINCE, from Adelaide.—Consignees by this vessel are requested to pass ENTRIES at once for Washington Wharf. All goods impeding discharge will be landed and stored at consignee's risk and expense.
Bills of lading must be produced, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained from the undersigned before goods can leave the wharf. Ship will not be responsible for any loss or damage to cargo after same has been landed.
JOSEPH WARD and CO., Agents,
Bridge-street Chambers.

Captain INGLIS will not be responsible for any debts contracted by his crew while in this port without his written authority.

FOR SALE, STEAM LAUNCH, 15-h.p.; dimensions, 52 x 9, 6 x 5 feet; built 1876; coppered and copper-fastened; carries 20 tons; very cheap. Apply MOSS and CO., 410, George-street.

FOR SALE, STEAM LAUNCH, 8-h.p.; very cheap. Apply MOSS and CO., 410, George-street.

FOR PRIVATE SALE, the swift and powerful steamship WESTERN, 114 tons.
Lying in Johnston's Bay. Full particulars upon application to
CAREY GILLES, and CO., 336, George-street.

FOR SALE FREIGHT, or CHARTER, the fine A1 British barque BRITOMART, 5.0 tons register.
T. and W. WILLIS,
48, Pitt-street.

TONNAGE WANTED.
To Load in Sydney.
About 800 tons for SHANGHAI.
PARBURY, LAMB, and CO.

TO SHIPWRIGHTS and Others.—The Undersigned have for SALE a number of Floating STAGES, PUNTS, and Shipwrights' TOOLS, lately the property of John Cuthbert, Esq., deceased.
GEORGE R. DIBBS and CO.,
Bridge-street Chambers.

QUAY BERTHS vacant; first-class storage and wharf accommodation. G. F. Mason, Patent Slip Wharf.

MORT'S DOCK AND ENGINEERING COMPANY (Limited).
WORKS—Waterview Bay.
TOWN OFFICE—25, New Pitt-street, Sydney.
Engineers, Boilermakers, Shipbuilders, Iron and Brass Founders, Coppersmiths, and Millwrights.
Dry Dock, 380 feet long, 68 feet wide, fitted with patent keel blocks.
The Patent Slip is capable of taking up vessels of 1000 tons burthen.
A large stock of Spars, Deck Planking, Metal, Oakum, &c., &c., always on hand.
Repairs executed on the shortest notice.

FLOATING DOCK, DARLING HARBOUR.—THOMAS S. ROWNTREE and CO., Wood and Composite Shipbuilders and Blacksmiths. Ships of any size docked; repairs and work efficiently carried out on the most reasonable terms. Masts, spars, and ship timber of every description always on hand.

MEETINGS.

TO THE RIGHT WORSHIPFUL THE MAYOR OF SYDNEY.
SIR,—We, the undersigned Citizens of Sydney, beg to request that you will convene a Public Meeting for the purpose of considering the proposal of the Government to extend the Railway further into this city:—

Walter Bradley	James Sandy
Haley C. D'Ardier	B. H. Chapman
George Hardie	James Lawson
L. E. Threlkeld	A. Allen
George Prapes	W. Smith
W. Mac Donnell	J. Shepherd
G. Hains	L. S. Bensusan
P. N. Trebeck	J. Oswald Gilchrist

and 40 other signatures.
Sydney, 9th June, 1876.

Town Hall, George-street,
Sydney, 10th June, 1876.
In compliance with the above requisition I hereby convene a Public MEETING of the Citizens of Sydney, to be held at the Exchange, on TUESDAY, the 13th instant, at 3 o'clock.
B. PALMER, Mayor.

THE CIVIL SERVICE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES (Limited).—A Special General MEETING of Shareholders will be held on WEDNESDAY, 28th June instant, at 8 o'clock p.m.

BUSINESS:

To consider proposed alteration of rules, viz.:—(1.) To provide for the holding of Half-yearly Meetings, in the months of March and September, instead of January and July as now provided for. (2.) To widen the basis upon which persons may be admitted as shareholders, and to vary the terms upon which persons may be admitted as "Ticketholders," by reduction in rate of fee, or otherwise.
By order of Board,
F. SALISBURY, Secretary and Accountant.
224, Pitt-street, Sydney, 3rd June, 1876.

NEW SOUTH WALES CRICKET ASSOCIATION.—A Special General MEETING will be held at Tattersall's THIS (Monday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock.
Business: To revise and adopt the Rules.
JOHN M. GIBSON, Hon. Secretary.

THE NEW FIRE BILL.—The Superintendents of the Volunteer Fire Brigades, and those interested, are requested to meet at 8 o'clock, THIS (Monday) EVENING, at Camb's Commercial Hotel.

NO. 1 VOL. FIRE CO.—Special Meeting, THIS EVENING, 8 o'clock, Pitt-st. Station. J. Harvey, sec.

MASONIC.—Robert Burns Lodge 817, E.C.—Regular MEETING TO-NIGHT, 7.30. Raising.

33 L. O. L. MONTHLY MEETING, Oddfellows' Hall, Balmain, THIS EVENING, 7.30.

NO. 53 L. O. L. Apprentice Boys of Derry.—Regular Monthly MEETING, at Foresters' Hall, Waterloo, THIS (Monday) EVENING, at 7.30. Visiting Brothers invited. G. RAYMAN, Secretary.

70 HORAH (I. C.) holds a Raising MEETING, TO-NIGHT, Protestant Hall, Darlington.

MASONIC.—Leinster Marine Lodge, 266, I.C.—Monthly Meeting, This Evening, 7. Initiations.

MASONIC.—Lodge Manoah, No. 567, S. C., Monthly Meeting, New Temperance Hall, This Evening, at 8.

WYCLIFFE L. ORANGE BENEFIT SOCIETY. Monthly MEETING, TO-NIGHT, Temple. Important. A. CHISLETT, Secretary.

NO. 2 SCHOMBERG L. O. L.—The regular Monthly MEETING of the above Lodge will be held in the Masonic Temple, Castlereagh-street, THIS (Monday) EVENING. [illegible] W. H. MATTHEWS, W.M.

SACRED HEART LITERARY SOCIETY.—No meeting TO-NIGHT; next meeting MONDAY, 19th instant.
J. B. MULRONEY, Hon. Secretary.

MEETINGS OF PUBLIC COMPANIES.

GREAT SHAKESPEARE GOLD MINING CO. (Limited).
The Extraordinary General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS appointed to be held THIS DAY, stands adjourned to MONDAY, 12th instant, at the same time and place.
HENRY GENDERS, Manager.
June 5, 1876.

RICHMOND BRIDGE COMPANY.
NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to a resolution adopted at a special general meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company, held this day at the Black Horse Hotel, Richmond (the Government having recently purchased the bridge from the Company in terms of the Act of Incorporation), that the said Company has been and is now dissolved.
Dated the 7th day of June, 1876.
WILLIAM WALKER, Secretary.

MUNN'S PATENT MAIZENA AND STARCH COMPANY.
A Special MEETING of Shareholders in this Company will be held at Mort and Co.'s Wool Warehouse, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 28th day of June, at 10 a.m., to determine as to the Incorporation of the Company under the Companies' Act.
By order of the Board,
LESLEY HERRING.
Sydney, 12th June.

RELIGIOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

SERMONS FOR THE PEOPLE.—The Rev. JAMES GREENWOOD, M.A., before retiring from the Christian ministry at the end of July, wishes to take a last opportunity of specially impressing the leading Christian truths and duties on the minds of his fellow-citizens. With that view a series of SERMONS is now being given in Bathurst-street Baptist Church, on successive SUNDAY EVENINGS, from June 4th to July 30th. The Sermons are being published weekly, on the Saturdays following their delivery, by Messrs. JAMES READING and CO., 356, George-street; and 13, Bridge-street; and may be had there and of Mr. HENRY BAIGENT, Agent for Bathurst street Church; and of all booksellers. No. I., "The Doomed City's Last Warning," is now on sale: price, SIXPENCE. No. II., "All for the Best" will be ready next Saturday, June 17th.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

NOTICE.—RICHARD ELLIOTT, having retired from the Detective Police of N. S. W., respectfully intimates to the Legal Profession, Mercantile, and general public, that he has commenced business as a MISSING FRIEND and PRIVATE and CONFIDENTIAL AGENT. All communications strictly confidential. Office, 169, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

NOTICE.—The Widow of the late JOHN GRIBBEN, Farrier, desires to inform the public that the Business will be carried on as usual, at 80, Elizabeth-street, under the superintendence of the Foreman, who has been connected with the business for the last twenty years, and trusts to receive a share of the patronage so liberally given heretofore.
S. GRIBBEN.

PUBLIC NOTICE.
DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.
The Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned is, as from the first day of June instant, dissolved by mutual consent. ALEXANDER MACKAY will henceforth conduct the business on his own account, under the name and style of A. MACKAY and CO., who will discharge all DEBTS owing by the Firm, and receive all ACCOUNTS due to the same.
As witness our hands this tenth day of June, A.D. eighteen hundred and seventy-six.
(Signed) ALEXANDER MACKAY.
JOHN W. M'KAUGHAN.
Witness to the signature of Alexander Mackay—ROBT. W. HOGG.
Witness to the signature of J. W. M'Kaughan—PHILIP CALLACHOR.

CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS AND SOCIETIES.
Financial year ending June.
HOME VISITING RELIEF SOCIETY.
HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.
E. RAMSAY, Collector, Cole's-chambers.

PERSONS ADVERTISED FOR.

C. B. S.—CALL at Post Office, LETTER from England.

EDWARD A. JONES, arrived from Liverpool, ex Montrose, last September,—send address to J. A. W. H., Argus Office, Singleton. Information of above received with many thanks.

EDWARD CENTER, aged 25 years, born in London, who arrived here in the Antofagasta, from England, in the month of August last year, will oblige by calling on the undersigned.
GEORGE R. DIBBS and CO., 17, Bridge-street.

IF HENRY FLEISCHNER, who left Campbelltown about 12 years ago, for Murrumbidgee, and has not since been heard of, will communicate with his Mother, CATHARINA HELM, at Campbelltown, he will hear of something greatly to his advantage.

IF JAMES HONEYMAN, formerly of North Shields, England, who sailed in 1860 from Liverpool in the ship Sarah M. for Melbourne, will communicate with ROBERT J. FORD, Esq., Balmain, Sydney, he will hear of something to his advantage.

LADY wants NAME of gentleman who rode to Parramatta on Friday without bridle.

MR. W. L. KING, please call at F. ALLERDING and SON'S, Hunter-street.

MR. THOMAS FREWIN.—Send present address to Felix, HERALD Office.

MICHAEL HERNON would like to hear from his UNCLE, WILLIAM M'KEE-HON, late of Parsonstown, King's county, Ireland. Address M. HERNON, General Post Office.

THE LADY from South America, who had a conversation on Sunday night about San Francisco, will oblige by sending her address to Spiritualism, General Post Office.

£10 REWARD will be paid for positive information of EMMA ADAMS, if living, or certified proof of death and place of burial.
She was taken by her mother and step-father, Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM HOSKINS, to Australia about the year 1852, 1853, or 1854, from ST. THOMAS, UPPER CANADA.
Mr. Hoskins was by trade a Saddler and Harness Maker.
Apply to M. MOSS and CO., Wynyard-lane, Sydney.

LECTURES.

REV. CHARLES CLARK'S FAREWELL.—TO-NIGHT and TO-MORROW, "Thackeray;" WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, "Oliver Goldsmith." 3s, 2s, and 1s. Secure seats and tickets beforehand. See Amusements.

VOLUNTEER NOTICES.

MUSKETRY INSTRUCTION.—CASUAL SQUAD.—For members of the force who have obtained SPECIAL PERMISSION to go through Musketry after the period appointed for their company, having been prevented by sickness or other cause.
POSITION DRILL at Victoria Barracks on the 19th, 20th, and 21st June, at 7.30 p.m.
TARGET PRACTICE on the 22nd, at 10 a.m.
By command,
W. B. B. CHRISTIE, Major,
Major of Brigade.

5 BATTERY V. A.—Parade, with carbines, To-night, Hyde Park, 7.30. W. G. BEVERLEY, Captain.

2 CO.—DRILL TO-NIGHT. Hyde Park, 7.30. C. A. WILSON, Captain.

5 CO., 1st REGT.—DRILL TO-NIGHT, 7.30. Full muster urgently requested. W. JOHNSTON, Capt.

NOS. 1 and 2 HIGHLANDERS.—Members are requested to attend the Funeral of Private JAMES ROSS, of No. 1 Company; to move from his late residence, No. 383, Liverpool-street, Darlinghurst, THIS DAY, at quarter to 2 p.m. JOHN CAMPBELL, Captain.

V. L. ORDERS.—Five wanted, at £120 each. J. S. GORDON and CO., 147, Pitt-street.

VOLUNTEER LAND ORDERS for SALE, bought, or advances upon. E. JOHNSON, 183, Pitt-st.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST, in Regent-street, near Parramatta-st., a small Bloodstone Signet RING; reward. 12, Regent-street.

LOST, on Friday night, a [illegible] Finder please return them to Mrs. LAW.

LOST, CHEQUE for £2 7s., on City Bank, drawn by Lewis and Co., in favour of Wheel, 6, O'Connell-st.

LOST, Thursday afternoon, at Sanmore, a Chinchilla COLLAR. Reward Mrs. Buist, Lonton-st., E. more.

LOST, Tuesday evening, small white POODLE SLUT, blind (Toby); 10s reward. 96, Woolloomooloo-st.

LOST, coming from the Sacred Heart, on Sunday morning, a small Gold BROOCH. Finder rewarded at P. Tighe's, Oxford-street.

TEN SHILLINGS REWARD.—LOST, from Lane Cove, Sloane Point, a small white Manila POODLE with silky hair uncut; answers to the name of Fi—. The above reward will be paid on recovery. G. ALLEN MANSFIELD. June 5th, 1876.

£2 REWARD.—LOST, a DRAFT, for £30, on Wednesday last, between Pitt and Clarence streets, drawn in favour of JAMES MURRAY. The finder will receive the above reward, on calling at Hart's Hotel, Market-street. Draft of no value except to owner.

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ROBERT POLLOCK, Secretary.
Nelson, May 19, 1876.

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY.—The COMMEMORATION takes place on SATURDAY, the 24th June.
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GEORGE F. WISE,
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Government Immigration Office,
Sydney, 6th June, 1876.

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Sydney, 9th June, 1876.

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Sydney, 19th May, 1876.

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IT is requested that accounts due to Mr. FORTESCUE be remitted to Dr. PEL RAVE, 6, Lyons-terrace. Any remaining unpaid at the end of this month will be called for by Mr. RAMSAY, Jun., Collector.

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VICTORIA, by the grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c.

To the Widow and Next of Kin of ALFRED GEORGE FISHER, late of West Maitland, in the colony of New South Wales, Gentleman, deceased, intestate, greeting.

WHEREAS it hath been represented to us, in our Supreme Court of New South Wales, that ALFRED GEORGE FISHER, late of West Maitland, in the said colony, Gentleman, departed this life on or about the third day of April last, intestate, having at the time of his death goods, chattels, and credits in the said colony, We do therefore hereby peremptorily cite you, and each of you, to appear personally or by your Proctor before our said Court, at the Court-house, in King-street, Sydney, on the sixteenth day of June instant, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and there to abide, if occasion shall require, during the sitting of the said Court, and then and there to accept or refuse letters of administration of all and singular the goods, chattels, and credits of the said deceased; or otherwise to show sufficient cause (if you, or either of you, have or know any) why the same should not be committed to MIARUS MOORE, of West Maitland, in the said colony, Auctioneer, a creditor of the said deceased.

Witness—The Honorable Sir JAMES MARTIN, Knight, Chief Justice of our said Court, at Sydney, this first day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

T. M. SLATTERY, Prothonotary.

J. A. GORRICK, Proctor for said Marius Moore, West Maitland; by

CURTIS and GANNON, his Agents, 229, Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN EQUITY.

In the matter of the REX TIN MINING COMPANY (Limited), and in the matter of the Companies' Act 37 Victoria, No. xix.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates, on MONDAY, the nineteenth day of June instant, at the Supreme Court, King-street, Sydney, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for an order directing a call of three shillings per share to be made upon holders of shares as settled upon the List of Contributories of the above Company; and further, for an order directing the payment of all calls in arrear by such shareholders as have not paid the same.

Dated this 9th day of June, A.D. 1876.

ALFRED SANDEMAN, Official Liquidator, Pitt-street, Sydney.

£100 REWARD.—The above reward will be paid for such information as shall lead to the arrest and conviction of the Man who attempted to rob the Blayney branch of this Bank, on the evening of the 3rd instant.

T A. DIBBS, Manager.
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Sydney, 9th June, 1876.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.

In the Will of CHRISTINA JOHANNA BROWN, formerly of Grattai, in the colony of New South Wales, but late of Goulburn-street, Sydney, in the said colony, Widow, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Trust Property Act of 1862, 26 Victoria, No. 12, Notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims upon, or being otherwise interested in the estate and effects of the abovenamed deceased, are requested to send in full particulars of such claims to the undersigned, under cover to the executors, on or before the twenty-ninth day of June next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, in terms of the will of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.

Dated this twenty-ninth day of May, A.D. 1876.

JOHN DAWSON and SON, Proctors for the said Executors, 136, Pitt-street, Sydney.

PHARMACY.—The Committee of the CHEMISTS ASSISTANTS' ASSOCIATION have unanimously decided that it is not necessary to carry on their Society, the Chemists and Druggists having formed an association with exactly the same object in view, which will be equally beneficial to the assistants as if their society were in existence.

We are very pleased to see the Chemists and Druggists have taken in hand a work which we intended to execute, viz., the formation of a School of Pharmacy; they having more power, and we voluntarily retire in their favour, trusting the day is not far distant when we can say we are members of the New South Wales Pharmaceutical Society.

CITY AND SUBURBAN BUILDING AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY, No. 2.

The MONTHLY PAYMENT falls due THIS DAY, the 12th JUNE, between the hours of 10 and 5, at the Offices, 267, George-street, opposite Hunter-street. Shares and all information can be obtained from

JOHN PURKIS, Secretary.

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MRS. ELIZABETH SIMPSON, Exchange Hotel, Pitt and Bridge streets, Sydney. George-street, Sydney, 9th June, 1876. Madam,—I have to express my deep regret and sorrow, and now apologise for the language I have uttered concerning you on different occasions, as there was neither justification, nor any foundation in truth for the same.

(Signed) PETER PARLATO.

Witness: W. ROBERTS, Jun.

NO. 1 STARR-BOWKETT BUILDING SOCIETY.—A SALE of the right to an advance of £300, THIS EVENING, at 9 o'clock.

WILLIAM J. CLARKE, Secretary.

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Gympie, May 15th, 1876.

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ALCOHOLIC STIMULANTS DURING PHYSICAL EXPOSURE.—Dr. Lander Brunton writes in the *Practitioner*:—Where men are subject to great and prolonged exposure to cold, experience has taught them the danger of taking spirits while the exposure continues. My friend, Dr. Fayer, told me that when crawling through the wet heather in pursuit of deer on a cold day he offered the keeper who accompanied him a pull from his flask. The old man declined, saying, "No, thank you, it is too cold." The lumberers in Canada who are engaged in felling timber in the pine forests, living there all winter, sleeping in holes dug in the snow, and lying on spruce branches covered with buffalo robes, allow no spirits in their camp, and destroy any that may be found there. The experience of Arctic travellers on this subject is nearly unanimous; and I owe to my friend, Dr. Milner Fothergill, an anecdote which illustrates it in a very striking way. A party of Americans crossing the Sierra Nevada encamped at a spot above the snow line, and in an exposed situation. Some of them took a good deal of spirits before going to sleep and they lay down warm and happy; some took a moderate quantity, others took none at all, and they lay down very cold and miserable. Next morning, however, those who had taken no spirits got up, feeling quite well, those who had taken a little got up feeling cold and wretched, and those who had taken a good deal did not get up at all; they had perished from cold during the night. Those who took no alcohol kept their hearts warm at the expense of their skin, and they remained well; those who took much warmed their skin at the expense of their heart and they died. But while alcohol is thus injurious during prolonged exposure to cold, the case is very different after the exposure is over, and its administration may then be very beneficial.

OUR BERLIN LETTER.

BERLIN, APRIL 11.

THE Oriental question is still occupying all minds, and during the last week the affairs of the Turkish provinces have not in the least lost their alarming character. The insurgents have fixed the conditions under which they are willing to lay down their arms, and have imparted them to the representatives of the different Powers at the Conferences in the Suttorina. They demand to have made over the third part of the territory of the Beys, the rebuilding of their houses and churches by the Government, a supply of seed-corn, cattle, and agricultural tools, the creation of corn-magazines with stocks for a year, exemption from taxes for three years, removal of the regular Turkish troops from Bosnia and the Herzegovina, with only small garrisons in some places where agents of the Powers can reside to watch over the strict fulfilment of their conditions. Finally, a guarantee of the great Powers for the carrying out of all those reforms promised by the Porte, and the disarming of the native Turkish population. Most likely, neither the Porte nor the great Powers will feel inclined to fulfil these demands; and there is, therefore, little hope to see the work of pacification led to a speedy end. There is not the least doubt that Servia has encouraged the revolt, and likewise it is a well-known fact that, in consequence of financial difficulties, the Porte is unable to act more energetically. The Porte has now resolved to send a circular note to the Powers, wherein the part which Servia and Montenegro have taken opposite the insurrection and the Porte is shown in its true light, and wherein finally it is said that they have taken a decidedly inimical position which will oblige the Porte to begin the necessary counter-measures. This circular note will be, so to say, a "supreme appeal" to the guaranteeing Powers of the Paris treaty, and will have the character of an ultimatum. The Oriental affairs do at present look more serious than ever, for telegrams from Bosnia assert that along the Drina and the North Bosnian frontier the insurrectionary movement is in the ascendant. All places between Mogdane, Polje, and Petrowatz in Northern Bosnia, are said to have risen against the Turkish rule. From the latter place a deputation has proceeded to Belgrade.

Austria has done all in her power to avoid military intervention, as it was to be feared that it might lead to disagreements with Russia. Presently, when it seems quite impossible to make peace by moral means, it is the general view that Austria will have to interfere with military power. It seems as if Russia too was losing patience. A most remarkable change has taken place in the utterances of the Russian Press, regarding the Turkish insurrection. It looks as if Russia meant to show her real character, as the only trustworthy friend of the oppressed Turkish Christians. An official Russian paper says that the dangerous position of the insurgents is to be attributed to Austria's partiality for Turkey. Another journal proposes that the Turks should retire from the Herzegovina, and that this province should be handed over to Montenegro, and it very kindly invites England's help for the attainment of this desirable end. Other Russian journals give assurances to those Turkish subjects who have not yet joined the insurrection, but might feel inclined to do so, that although Russia may for the moment be unable to give them active assistance, it will take care that none of the other Powers interferes with them. Perhaps all this is an indication that Russia means to break away from the alliance, and wants to act for herself, independently of the other Powers.

Together with this change in the expressions of Russian public sentiment other news arrived here from St. Petersburg, which has deeply agitated Germany. It was reported that Emperor Alexander was weary of the burden of the Crown, and intended to resign his sovereign rights into the hands of his eldest son. The fact is, that the Czar is in reality getting weaker bodily, and feels, therefore, sometimes worried almost beyond endurance by all that is going on around him. Tired by the unpleasantness of the Socialistic Propaganda, by financial embarrassments, &c., the Czar is daily less and less attending to public affairs. His dearest wish is to be allowed to enjoy the rest of his days in peace. The Czarewitch is supposed to be an enemy of Germany, and suspected to be under the influence of his wife, the Princess Dagmar, of Denmark, who wishes to repair the wrongs, and to avenge the humiliations which Denmark received in 1864. All these rumours created great excitement during the last week throughout Germany, as it is an almost general idea or belief here, that the Emperor Alexander's retirement from the throne would be identical with the beginning of a severe war between Russia and Germany. I think, for my part, that all these fears are greatly exaggerated, if not totally unfounded. The heirs of thrones have, at all times, never, when once on the throne, followed those counsels, to which they liked to listen only too willingly in their days of expectancy, and in our days, wars are no longer begun for the sake of personal sympathies and antipathies. They have more to do with finances than with anything else; and though a war between Prussia and Germany is possible, it will hardly be voluntarily brought on by the Cabinet at St. Petersburg. The official Presses of St. Petersburg, as well as of Berlin, do all they can to contradict and to disperse these alarming rumours, which disturb the minds of the subjects, and certainly influence all home affairs of both countries.

Emperor Alexander will arrive in Berlin on the 9th of May, and will stay here some days with the Royal family before going to Ems for his yearly *lure*. Emperor William will join him there towards the end of May, in order to enjoy again for a few days the company of his nephew and ally. Prince Gortschakoff will of course accompany the Czar, and it is believed that important negotiations will take place between him and Prince Bismarck. You see old Europe is always much excited, and the *points noirs* never disappear.

Apart from the home questions Europe is anxious to to see how the Egyptian financial question will be settled. England was, as I already mentioned in my last letter, invited to appoint a commissioner for the purpose of facilitating the erection of a National Bank, and on England refusing this request, permission was given to transform the scheme of a National Bank into a *laisse d'amortissement*, or Sinking Fund Department. After this proposal new negotiations were opened between England and France which have as yet not been concluded. The English Cabinet is presently much attacked and criticized with regard to the Egyptian question, and represented as having received a well-deserved check in consequence of the cold way in which it has acted in the whole matter. All the liberal English newspapers declare that Mr. Cave's mission to Egypt was a false speculation which was doubtful from the beginning, and which was afterwards ruined by the steps of the Cabinet. Reproaches are made to the Ministers for having only given to the bankers and brokers an opportunity for great speculations on the Bourse, whereby large fortunes have been lost. The truth is that the English Cabinet would have consented to name a commissioner for the Egyptian National Bank if the houses of Rothschild had assented to participate in the issue of the loan; but, as these houses declared their unwillingness to do so, Mr. Disraeli announced that England would decline naming a commissioner. It was only after this that negotiations were begun between the Khedive and other financiers to regulate the affair without the help of England. The French political circles applauded these proceedings very freely, as they thought that this was the only way to win back the influence which France has of old exercised in Egypt under the second Empire. Suddenly the Khedive abandoned the scheme of the French group as well and took the arrangement of the Egyptian finances into his own hands. He has stopped the payment of the April coupon and he will change the floating debt into consolidated shares at 7 per cent.

Lord Derby had last Sunday an interview with the Duc Decazes at Paris, and hopes are generally expressed that during the short sojourn of Lord Derby in the French capital the different points regarding the affairs of Egypt will be satisfactorily solved. Prince Bismarck has since the beginning of the question openly assisted the English Cabinet, as Germany has an interest not to see France regain her old interest in the Orient. Public opinion is at present much agitated by Prince Bismarck's plan of purchasing all German railways for the German Empire. From a commercial point of view a good deal may be said in favour of this plan, but for the moment the Chancellor, owing to the unmitigated antagonism of the Southern Government has found it expedient to cut down his gigantic scheme, and reduce it to the modest proposition of a transfer of the Prussian Government railways to the German Government. It not being certain that the idea will be approved even in this curtailed form, all he is going to ask of the Prussian Parliament is, I understand, the power to treat with the German Government on the subject. The Prussian Parliament will probably consider themselves bound in courtesy to oblige Prince Bismarck by giving him a power which leaves everything in his hands. Should this be the case, we shall have an opportunity afforded us of testing the intensity of Southern resistance. If the Southern States combine with Saxony to resist even the first step in a direction they disapprove, the scheme falls to the ground. These States would hardly venture opposition in a matter where they had the popular voice strongly against them; but in the present instance, when the public are divided, they will perhaps not hesitate to make use of their constitutional privilege.

The great fall in the price of silver, though it seems to confirm the wisdom of the German legislative authorities in adopting the pure gold standard, is a disappointment here, nevertheless. The German Government having been very slow in making use of the license allowed by Parliament to withdraw the thaler pieces from circulation, the loss consequent upon the reduction in the value of the metal is very great. The lowest estimate is £3,000,000; the highest double that sum. If all I hear is true, this check to the financial administration is mainly owing to the practice prevailing at Berlin of carrying out operations with less assistance from bankers than is thought necessary in other countries. Without considerable help from private firms, the thaler pieces could not be withdrawn with proper dispatch. This being unpalatable, is said to have led to the present deplorable result.

With regard to the pending judicial inquiry into the charges of high treason against Count Arnim, it is announced that the Senate of Indictments has resolved upon proceeding with the impeachment of the Count, but has refused to order the sequestration of his property, a course which would be legally admissible before the final judgment is delivered. In consequence of the difficulty of regularly serving the Count with writs on account of his sojourning abroad, the Chief Public Prosecutor moved that proceedings *in contumaciam* should be instituted, and he submitted that the Court would, consequently, have to render its decision on the basis of the documents drawn up at the preliminary judicial investigation, in case the public summons upon the Count to come up for trial should be attended with no result.

An official document has been published a few days ago giving authentic information of the results of the judicial investigation in connection with the disastrous explosion at Bremerhaven. It has been proved that the real name of the man Thomas, who committed the outrage, is Alexander Keith. He was born at Halifax, where his father and his uncle (John and Alexander Keith) had a brewery. During the American civil war he was actively engaged in blockade running, and was especially connected with the captain of the Old Dominion. Towards the end of 1864 he disappeared from Halifax, having been a defaulter and embezzling 200,000 dollars of several business friends. Of this sum 32,000 dollars were obtained, according to evidence, upon an insurance effected on his own account, on the steamer Caledonia, which was lost at sea. Subsequently he lived at New York, under the assumed name of Alexander King Thomson, but nothing has been ascertained of the persons with whom he was connected at that time. At the commencement of 1865 he suddenly appeared at Highland, when he was in possession of 30,000 dollars, and married a Miss Cecile Paris. At the end of the same year one of the persons whom he had defrauded, a colonel in the Confederate army, named Smood, had him arrested and conducted to St. Louis, where he came to terms with him. At the commencement of 1866, fearing a prosecution on the part of the other parties whom he had defrauded at St. Louis, he came to Europe with his wife. The three boxes of furs shipped on board the City of Boston in the name of John Thomas were not insured. No accessories to the crime committed by him in 1875 have been discovered. It is proved that Mr. Skidmore allowed the barrel with the explosive substance to be admitted to the New York bonded warehouses at Bremen without discovering the clockwork enclosed in the same. The model submitted to Herr Tuchs, the watchmaker, is the original work made to order for Thomas by his assistant Rind. The document concludes by stating that the inquiries in England have not yet been terminated.

Her Majesty Queen Victoria and Princess Beatrice have sojourned a week at Baden-Baden; and, after having visited Prince and Princess Louis of Hesse at Darmstadt, her Majesty has taken a residence at Coburg, intending an equal stay at the Court of her brother-in-law, who will have returned by that time from Italy, where he is now recruiting his health. Empress Augusta wishes to meet Queen Victoria at Coburg. The German Crown Prince and Crown Princess will likewise meet her Majesty at the ducal residence. Emperor William proposed to pay a visit to the Queen at Baden-Baden, but he was, on account of his health, compelled to give up this intention.

The birthday of the Emperor was this year celebrated with unusual solemnity. The German princes and sovereigns had appeared in greater number than formerly, and were all present to congratulate the aged monarch. The tables which are usually placed in the Emperor's rooms to receive the beautiful and numerous presents which arrive from near and far had this year almost to be doubled, as the gifts came in richer number then ever before. Splendid lamps in silver and bronze, candleholders in iron and carved wood-work, inkstands, all sorts of writing necessaries in gold and silver with precious stones, paintings in oil and water-colours, embroidered chairs, puffs, cushions and foot-stools of various shapes, and bouquets in innumerable masses were dedicated to the beloved sovereign. Particular attention is indeed deserved by the *self-worked* presents which the children in the Royal family gave to their grandpapa and great-uncle. The eldest, princess Charlotte, daughter of the Crown Prince, had worked *all herself* a pair of slippers, silver embroidery on blue velvet, and the second princess a morning cap to match. This work was generally admired, regarding the youthful age of the Princesses. The Princes, sons of the Crown Prince, had offered drawings of various style which the loving grandpapa compared with those received last year, and expressed his entire satisfaction at the very visible progress the Princes had made in the course of the year. The first four hours of the morning, from 8 to 12, had thus been wholly given to the family, but after this the official visits began, and lasted till about 5 o'clock. In the evening a ball was given in the Royal Palace, to which 750 invitations had been issued, comprising the Royal family and the whole Court, the Royal guests with their suites, the Diplomatic corps, the Ministers, the generality, and many residing aristocrats. The dinner passed quite *en famille*, to give their Majesties time for a little rest between the morning and the evening festivities.

The day before the Emperor's birthday, the National Gallery had been opened. The building, the erection of which was already planned by Frederic William IV., has been finished under special superintendence and protection of the Emperor and the Crown Prince. It is built in the purest Greek style and the decorations in marble and al fresco painting are so beautiful that it deserves to be especially mentioned. The rooms are of course far from full; but the intention was to build an edifice wherein the best pieces and specimen of house art should find a worthy home. A better encouragement than this building can certainly not be given to the artists, and it is only to be wished that they will all do their best to work so as to deserve to be immortalised by getting a place in the National Gallery for their productions.

The first representation of Richard Wagner's new opera, "Tristan and Isolde," took place two days before the Emperor's birthday. Many of the guests to the Royal family had already arrived, and therefore the house offered an aspect of brilliancy which it does of course not always wear. No need to say that there was not a seat to be had, for every member of the aristocracy had tickets for the second and third range. From 150 to 200 marks (shillings) was offered for a ticket, and hundreds had to wait for the second representation which took place a week later, as the artists can only once during the week sing their fatiguing parts. The opera is rich in musical beauties, but quite as rich in corrupt and exaggerated ideas. Wagner, in "Tristan and Isolde," makes himself the prophet and defender of the *forbidden love*, and already, on account of the subject, the work will always find quite as many partizans as adversaries. I, for my own part, find more pleasure in listening to the music of our old classic masters. Wagner's music, the music of the future as he himself calls it, will, perhaps, be understood and appreciated by future generations. We of the present time understand Beethoven and Mozart, Mendelssohn and Chopin better. Perhaps our children and grandchildren may be differently constituted, and therefore able to digest Wagner's music. The execution of the opera was faultless except a few minor little instances, and particular applause was given to the Royal orchestra and their director, Capellmeister Eckert, who had to appear before the curtain together with Wagner and all the principal singers.

AWFULLY SUDDEN DEATH.—On the 8th instant (reports the *Newcastle Pilot*), when the men in the employ of Messrs. Shepherd and Mortley, the contractors for putting the roof on to the new Custom-house, had knocked off work and were preparing to descend, one of them named Daniel M'Garry was observed to fall on his knees on the plank he was walking on, and in doing so struck his head against one of the rafters. His mate, who was close behind him, lifted him up, saying "Hullo, Dan, what's the matter?" but on getting him up M'Garry was quite speechless and apparently dead. Dr. Reid was at once sent for and arrived within a few minutes, and at once pronounced life to be extinct. A very nasty cut over the eye was caused by the unfortunate man striking the rafter with his head, but Dr. Reid said that was not in any way the cause of death, which he attributed to disease of the heart. The deceased's fellow-workmen, and the contractors, also Messrs. Jennings and Pallister, rendered every assistance, and he was lowered down from the high position he was in by means of a basket, and conveyed in a cab to the deadhouse at the hospital. Had the deceased fell a foot nearer the edge of the building he must have been precipitated to the ground from a height of at least sixty or seventy feet. No fault can be found with Messrs. Shepherd and Mortley, as they have made every precaution to prevent accidents to their workmen on the roof. His age we learn is 33 years, and he was a resident in Newcastle about two years, and leaves a wife and four children.

THE WAGGA MURDER CASE.—In the case Daniel Boon, found guilty of the murder of M'Millan, at Wagga, the full Court have upheld the conviction. The jury recommended the prisoner to mercy on the ground that he was intoxicated at the time he shot his victim; and the point reserved, at the request of his counsel, was whether drunkenness was a sufficient excuse to warrant the jury in finding a verdict for the minor offence of manslaughter. The Court, without calling for argument on the subject, held on the authority of well-decided cases, that it was not. As the Chief Justice remarked "Drunkenness is no excuse for crime; and in no case has it been ever held a ground to alleviate or excuse murder into the less crime of manslaughter."

THIS day, at 11 a.m., stock of a furniture dealer, retiring from business, premises, Pitt-street, opposite School of Arts. Bradley, Newton, and Lamb, auctioneers.—ADV.

NOTES OF THE WEEK.

A DARING attempt was made to rob the Commercial Bank at Blayney by a man who presented a revolver at Mr. Burt, the manager; but the latter armed himself with a similar weapon, and after some shots had been exchanged the robber escaped.

The residents of Petersham have held a public meeting with the object of establishing a Public school in the locality.

It is in contemplation by the settlers of the Middle and Lower Darling to drain several lakes and swamps in those localities, but these improvements are delayed in consequence of ambiguity in the Land Act.

The settlers in the Narrabri district amused themselves on Queen's Birthday with a series of kangaroo coursing matches.

Dr. Lindeman, for many years known in connection with wine-making in the colony, has been presented with a testimonial by the inhabitants of Corowa.

Cattle-stealing is reported to be again rife in the Braidwood district, and a reward of £200 offered for the conviction of the offenders.

An earthquake shock was felt at Orange at twelve minutes to 12 o'clock on the 28th May.

A branch of the Commercial Bank has been opened at Coolah, 246 miles north of Sydney.

Mr. Walter Bradley, who has lately returned from England, released a number of English blackbirds and skylarks in the vicinity of his residence at Randwick.

Mr. Gormley was presented by the Murrumbidgee Turf Club with a handsome gold stop watch, chain, and locket, in recognition of his services as handicapper to the club.

It was agreed in Parliament, on the motion of Mr. M'Elhone, that nearly the whole or greater part of the Yanko Creek reserve, comprising about 120,000 acres of the finest land in the colony, should be thrown open for settlement.

A Pharmaceutical Society has been formed by the chemists and druggists of Sydney.

Mr. Cracknell, the Superintendent of Telegraphs, has gone on a visit to England to gather all information relating to telegraphic improvements.

The steamship Edinburgh is to proceed to the north coast of Australia, to be employed in picking up and raising the Port Darwin cable.

It is said that the Araluen gold-fields, which have been worked for a long period, are still to a great extent unexplored. New auriferous deposits are being found in various directions.

Mrs H. Packham, who came to the colony in 1808, died recently at Parkes, at the age of 88. Nine children, eighty grandchildren, and two hundred great-grandchildren were left behind.

A case imported by Messrs. Myers and Cantor, which should have contained 40 dozen cut knife-rests and 18½ dozen cut tumblers, was found on being opened, to be full of stones, dirt, and straw.

A fire entirely destroyed the house of Captain Summerbell, in Victoria-street, on the 7th instant.

George Christopherson, a Norwegian, was shot dead at Breeza, by John Appleby, a groom, at Schofield's Hotel. Appleby was previously brutally beaten by Christopherson, through an election row.

Pigeon-flying is becoming a pastime with some people. In the seventh match of the Columbarian Club the tumbler breed employed flew the distance from South Creek to Sydney, 29 miles, in 56½ minutes; Mr. Turner, of Surry Hills, being the victor.

The opening of the Deniliquin and Moama Railway is fixed for the 4th July, to witness which event 400 invitations have been sent out. Sir Hercules Robinson has been invited to open the line, and several of the chief dignitaries both of Victoria and New South Wales are expected to attend.

During the week ending June 5, 2097 acres of land, in twelve selections, were conditionally purchased in the Wagga district.

At the meeting of the Horticultural Society, held on the 7th May, Mr. Luke Wooff read a paper on the "Nomenclature of Plants."

The sum of £300, which was intended as the commencement of an annual grant to the Royal Society of New South Wales, will be placed on the supplementary estimates for this year, and £2500 towards the society's funds will be proposed by the Government in the Estimates for 1877.

Daniel M'Garry, a carpenter, while at work on the roof of the Newcastle Custom-house, suddenly fell and died immediately; it is supposed from disease of the heart.

There has been another meeting of the Mayors of the city and suburbs respecting the question of the disposal of sewage. It was decided that all refuse should be emptied over the cliffs into the sea. In carrying out the suggestions of the Sewage and Health Board, the City Council had caused 230 old closets to be pulled down, while 300 new ones of improved construction had been erected.

A little boy, seven years of age, son of Mr. Alexander Irvine, of Camden Haven, while getting through a fence, pulled down upon himself a heavy pole, by which he was crushed to death.

Miss Nelson, aged 21, daughter of Mr. Oswald Nelson, of Trialba, while preparing tea, was burned to death through her clothes becoming ignited.

The Agricultural Society of New South Wales is in such a prosperous condition, that the committee are enabled to add £1000 to the £1500 already invested, leaving still a balance in hand sufficient for current expenses.

The Bethanga gold-field, two miles on the Victorian side of the Murray River, has attracted a large population, who, despite the want of machinery, are turning out gold at an average of 1 oz 7 dwts. per ton. Gold has been found along the hills for a distance of four miles.

At the meeting of the Engineering Association, held on the 8th instant, Mr. Davies read an instructive paper on estimates of the value of Australian coal.

The barque Tuspan, bound from Newcastle to Brisbane, foundered eight miles N.E. of Cape Byron. All hands were saved.

The Bishop of Goulburn, after a long tour through the south-western districts on his way from England via Melbourne, arrived in Goulburn on the 9th instant.

A letter of thanks from the Postmaster-General was received by Messrs. Cobb and Co., for the energy shown by them in the rapid transit of the letter portion of the Suez Mail overland from Melbourne.

Gold has been discovered at Back Creek, Barrington River, in the Williams district.

An old soldier, named M'Cant, who had followed Wellington through some of his campaigns, died lately at Blayney, at the age of 83 years.

LUNATIC REEFS.

[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

OUR Queen's Birthday rejoicings passed off splendidly. We began with a cricket match, in which some of our players distinguished themselves by their really fine play, and wound up with a ball in the evening at Mr. Richard Hooton's. The dancing was kept up till daylight, with great spirit. We are luckily not blessed with a public-house, and so escaped the usual infliction of drunkenness which spoils the enjoyment on so many such occasions.

For the last three weeks we have had the most copious rains that could have been wished. During the whole of last week we were without our mails, and in fact were cut off from the world entirely by the floods which everywhere prevailed; and it seemed at one time as if we should be reduced to starvation, from the impossibility of getting the teams along over the miserable tracks which are here dignified with the name of roads. A bridge over the Clarence at Tabulam would be a great boon to the people of this district, and of the northern part of New England.

The rains have had their effect on our mining, too. The greater part of the workings are flooded, and most of the miners are for that reason taking a spell. I noted in my last that in the prospecting claim (Lunatic Reef) measures were being taken to raise stone for a crushing. It is reported, however, that the reef has run out, and, in addition, no work has been done in consequence of the surface water having flooded the workings, and this, from the absence of pumping appliances, renders it impossible to go on with the work with any good result. The abovenamed claim is more generally known as Gay's, and is now in the hands of a Sydney proprietary, who also own the only machine on the field. This machine consists of a three-stamper battery and a Chilian mill for more perfectly pulverising the stone and assisting amalgamation. At present the company have only a very small quantity of stone at grass, but other claimholders are waiting to get stone crushed for them, so that they may get a dividend by crushing even if this mine should prove a temporary failure. By far the best stone I have seen on the field is that of Messrs. Hooton and Lyons of the prospecting claim Perseverance. The gold is all through the stone, and I have seen some really splendid specimens. They have raised over thirty tons of stone, and have not once required to use powder to get it out. Should this yield continue they will have a really splendid property. The Golden Crown reef does not seem to promise well at present. The Dalmorton claim looks anything but good, and is the only one working on that line. It is the old story, the gold has run out and the water has run in, and so with the addition of its being worked by unskilled miners, matters are as bad as bad can be. One more claim—the Caledonian—is working; it seems to be on a distinct line of reef. They only have, in this claim, a reef about two inches wide, but the stone will give a fair return if skilfully mined, especially as there is only driving to be done.

Drake, June 5.

LAW.

The following is the judgment of the Lords of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council on the Appeal of the Sierra Nevada, from the Vice-Admiralty Court of New South Wales; delivered 7th April, 1876.

Present: Sir James W. Colville, Sir Robert J. Phillimore, Sir Montague Smith, Sir Robert P. Collier.

This is an appeal from the Vice-Admiralty Court of New South Wales in a case of collision.

The collision happened between 2 and 3 o'clock in the morning of the 11th July, 1874, a few miles to the southward of Bird Island, off the coast of New South Wales. The night was clear, with a dark horizon and a haze from the water; the wind was stated by the promovent in the Court below, the respondent in this Court, to be west-south-west, and by the defendants in the Court below, and the appellants here, to be west-north-west, a difference of four points, which might have been material; but the learned Judge of the Court below says,—"During the argument it was conceded by the respondents' counsel that for the purposes of the decision it might be assumed that the direction of the wind was, as the promovent contended, and by that admission I was relieved from the necessity of determining the fact by the evidence."

Their Lordships must, therefore, consider it to have been proved that the wind was west-south-west.

The vessels which came into collision were the English brig George H. Peake and the American barque Sierra Nevada. The brig was coming from the Port of Newcastle in New South Wales to Melbourne, and the barque was on her voyage in ballast from Melbourne to Newcastle. The barque struck the brig on her starboard or weather side almost at right angles, and she immediately sank, but no lives were lost. The Judge of the Court below found the barque alone to blame for the collision, and from this decision her owners have instituted the present appeal.

The contention on the part of the brig was that being close-hauled on the starboard tack, her lookout saw a large ship coming towards her with a great deal of canvas set, and no lights visible at a distance of a mile or three-quarters of a mile, about a point on her starboard or weather bow; that her helm was immediately starboarded, that the barque did not alter her course until she was close to the brig when she ported; and the collision is ascribed to this act on the part of the barque, to her having her lights improperly placed, and to the want of a good look-out.

The contention on the part of the barque was that she was on the port tack and close hauled, but this was on the hypothesis that the wind was west-north-west; but as has already been said the wind was west-south-west, which would put her on the port tack with the wind free. She says that her lookout saw the red light of the brig ahead about half a mile off; that her helm was immediately put hard-a-port, and that the collision was caused by the starboarding of the brig.

A great many witnesses were examined in the Court below; the Judge having minutely investigated their evidence in the judgment which he delivered, expressed himself as follows:—

"The conclusion at which I have arrived from all this evidence is that the vessels were about three-quarters of a mile apart when they sighted each other, that the brig put her helm a-starboard as soon as she saw the barque and that when they were about a quarter of a mile apart she had gone off three or four points and had fully exposed her green light to the barque; that the barque about that time ported her helm, and kept it so ported until the collision. I have already stated that I do not think it necessary for the purposes of my judgment to decide whether the barque was close-hauled or not, although the evidence leads, I think, to the conclusion that she could have gone four points further to the windward than the course which she was steering before she saw the brig. Whatever her course was at that time she ported her helm, and went free after the brig's green light must have been exposed to her, and she kept that course till the time of the collision. Under these circumstances on whom does the blame of this collision rest? I have already said that I cannot attribute blame to the barque for defective light or lights negligently or improperly placed, but that is a different question from whether the people on board the brig saw the barque's lights or not. Those lights may have been good and placed with ordinary care, and yet may not have been seen by the brig. At all events, I am of opinion, on the evidence, that the people on board the brig did not see the barque's lights when they saw her approaching about three-quarters of a mile off. As they were close-hauled, I think they were not only justified in at once starboarding their helm, but that it was the only proper course for them to adopt under the circumstances. Their own lights were good, and were burning brightly, and the exposure of their green light, as the brig answered her helm and ran free, would be a fair and timely warning to the barque either to keep on her course or starboard her helm, which from the state of the wind there was every reason to think she could easily have done. Being not then, in my opinion, being at all to blame in starboarding her helm when she saw the cloud of canvas without visible lights approaching her, the question remains, was the barque to blame in porting her helm when about a quarter of a mile from the brig? I am clearly of opinion that she was. The rule, no doubt, is that sailing vessels meeting end on, or nearly end on, are to pass on the port side of each other, and a vessel on the port tack is to give way to a vessel close-hauled meeting her on the opposite tack. These rules, however, only apply when ships are meeting so as to involve risk of collision, and not in cases where, if their courses are continued, collision will be avoided. When by the starboarding of her helm the brig went off three or four points and brought her green light into full view of the barque, it was obviously the duty of the barque either to keep on her course or starboard her helm. This she did not do, but on the contrary, either three, four, or five minutes before the collision ported her helm, and kept it ported till the blow was struck. When the people on board the barque saw the green light right ahead it was their duty at once to put the helm a-starboard, because the appearance of that light showed that the brig was running out of their way. By porting their helm and keeping it to port they followed the brig, and so ran into her."

The principal propositions contained in this passage are that the barque's lights were not defective or improperly placed; that they were not seen by those on board the brig, and yet, apparently, that no blame on this account attached to the brig; that the brig did right in starboarding as soon as she saw the barque; that the barque must have seen the green light of the brig before she ported, and therefore did wrong, and was alone to blame.

Their Lordships regret, that after a careful investigation of all the evidence, and of the admitted facts in the case, they are unable to find their way to this result. They have endeavoured in vain to reconcile the finding of the learned Judge, that the lights, being properly placed, were, without any fault of those on board the brig, not seen by them. It may be that the learned Judge had some reason, not expressed, for forming this opinion; but in the state of obscurity and uncertainty in which this matter is left, their Lordships have determined to leave it out of their consideration in the opinion which they are about to express.

It appears to their Lordships that these two vessels were very nearly but not quite meeting vessels; that is was the duty of the starboard-tacked brig, when she saw the barque, whether with or without lights at the distance at which she states, to have kept her course, and have acted on the presumption that the other vessel (like herself) would obey the rule of navigation, and that the brig on her part was not justified in violating that rule.

On the other hand, their Lordships think that they ought not to interfere with the distinct finding of the learned Judge upon the evidence that the barque must have seen, before she ported, the green light of the brig; and in this case the manoeuvre of porting was clearly indefensible.

In this view of the case, both vessels were to blame; and their Lordships come more readily to this conclusion because they incline strongly to the opinion that, owing to a bad look-out on both sides both these vessels were allowed to approach each other much nearer than has been represented. Their Lordships will therefore humbly advise her Majesty to reverse the sentence of the Court below, declaring that the Sierra Nevada was alone to blame, and to pronounce that both vessels were to blame for the collision; each party to pay their own costs, both here and in the Court below.

INSOLVENCY COURT.

SATURDAY.

SURRENDER.

Robert Turner, of Tarrawan, innkeeper, on petition and affidavit. Schedule and statement to be filed on or before the 20th June. Mr. Humphery, official assignee.

MEETINGS OF CREDITORS.

Monday, June 12, at 11 a.m.: Before the Chief Commissioner. Balmain Co-operative Steam Ferry Company and Companies' Act (No. 23), adjourned from the 29th of May last; George Wright, special for examination of insolvent, and witnesses; George Blake, special, for examination of a witness; John Glasgas Pascoe, special, for examination of a witness; Thomas Harrington Line, adjourned examination from the 5th of June instant; Molong Consols Copper Mining Company and Companies' Act No. 21, adjourned from the 5th of June instant; Balmain Co-operative Steam Company and Companies' Act No. 23, hearing of petition of official liquidator.

Monday, June 12, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: Daniel Saunders White, first and only meeting, at Orange; John Barnes, first and only meeting at Orange; John Lane, first and only meeting at Mudgee; Donald Frampton, first and only meeting at Forbes.

Tuesday, June 13, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: Arthur Frederick Remmington, second at Yass; Lewis Solomon (trading as Solomon, Brothers), second at Albury.

Wednesday, June 14, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Henry William Strong, third; Bernard Heydon, third; John Manning Hazeland, trading as Hazeland and Co., third; Josiah Richard Treeve, sole remaining partner of Wright and Co., second; Joseph Dyer, first and only meeting; Elijah Keating, special, for proof of debts; William Thomas, first; James Wright, adjourned examination from the 31st of May last.

Wednesday, June 14, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: William Sparkes, special, for proof of debt at Murrurundi; William Sparkes, special, for examination of insolvent and witnesses at Murrurundi; Enos Batman, first and only meeting at Newcastle; Duncan M'Phee, second at Murrurundi; George Taylor, second at Murrurundi.

Friday, June 16, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Richard Moore O'Rafferty, first and only meeting; Joseph Lindsay, third; Joseph Dwyer, third; Arthur Willis, adjourned single from the 26th of May last; Edwin Butler, adjourned second from the 26th of May last; William Henry Madew, first; Nicholas Eric Loydstrom, first; Archibald Liddell, first; Edward William Pople, adjourned single from the 31st of May last; William Long, adjourned special for proof of debts and offer of composition from the 9th instant.

Friday, June 16, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: Patrick E. Butler, first and only meeting at Dubbo; James Lappan, first and only meeting at East Maitland; John Barber, second, at Bathurst; William Dillon, second at East Maitland.

Monday, June 19, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Bernard Heydon, special for examination of insolvent; Laurence Hickey, special for examination of insolvent and a witness; Rex Tin Mining Company and Companies' Act (No. 1), application for order for call from 8th June.

Monday, June 19, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: Walter Thomas Airey, second at Mudgee.

Tuesday, June 20. Holiday.

APPLICATIONS FOR CERTIFICATES.

Tuesday, June 13, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: John Mathewson, Edwin Cock, Robert Morrison, Edward Llanover Hall, adjourned from 6th instant; Henry Roberts, Thomas Ryan, adjourned from the 6th instant.

COURT BUSINESS.

Thursday, June 15, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Account current and plans of distribution for confirmation in the following estates: 1. Estate of Thomas and Isaac Freeman, a 1st plan dividend of [illegible] per £ on proved concurrent debts; 2. Estate of Andrew Charles Maclean, a 1st plan, dividend [illegible] per £ on proved concurrent debts, and payment in full of one preferent debt; 3. Estate of Robert Lusher Jones, a first plan, dividend 8s. 2d. per £ on proved concurrent debts; 4. Estate of Thomas Whitham, a dividend of [illegible] per £ on proved concurrent debts, and payment in full of preferent debt; 5. Estate of John Hand, a dividend of 1s. [illegible] per £ on proved concurrent debts and payment in full of preferent debt; 6. Estate of James Maddams, a dividend of 8s. 10d. in the £ on concurrent proofs, and one preferent proof in full; 7. Estate of Thomas Russell Cleaver, an account current, showing payment in full of costs, charges, and expenses to date, and the balance in hand; James Frederick Ward, for ratification or otherwise of directions of creditors. Compulsory sequestration—rule nisi returnable—Dickson and Sons v Charles Burke. Estate of Patrick Hutchison: Application for the payment of an unclaimed dividend in pursuance of Act 17 Vic., No. 17, section 3.

CENTRAL POLICE COURT.

SATURDAY.

Before Messrs. Cunninghame and Smart.

Twelve persons were fined for drunkenness.

On charges of using obscene language, Elizabeth Rogers, Margaret Bedford, Mary Ann Dennis, and Martha Wallis were severally sentenced to pay 40s., or to be imprisoned one month; Julia Davis 20s., or seven days' imprisonment; and Edward Russell 10s., or four days' gaol.

Sidwell Prendergast and Margaret Gannon, convicted of being idle and disorderly persons, were sentenced to be imprisoned and kept to hard labour for a period of six months.

Bridget Mooney, a well-known vagrant, charged with having stolen a pair of trousers, valued at 8s., exhibited for sale outside the shop of a pawnbroker named Murphy, pleaded guilty. She said that she was drunk at the time and in want of money. To be imprisoned six months.

William Oliver was charged with having stolen a watch. Constable Malqueeney apprehended him, and he denied the charge. James M'Laughlin, of Liverpool-street, carpenter, deposed that prisoner is in his employ, and lives in his house; he has been drinking lately; on the morning of the 10th he missed a watch, and, suspecting a person other than the prisoner, reported the loss to the police; he was sure that the prisoner did not take the watch with the intention of stealing it; he (witness) went with prisoner yesterday to a pawnbroker's shop, where, on prisoner paying some money, he obtained the watch and handed it to him (witness); he produced the watch; it cost him £7, and he would not sell it for less. Francis Murray, pawnbroker, deposed that, on the 7th, the prisoner pledged to him for 20s. the watch produced by the last witness; on the 8th, he sold him the ticket for 1s.; and yesterday prisoner purchased the watch back for 25s. Committed for trial at the Quarter Sessions.

John Crouch was charged with having gone on the premises of John Copeman with intent to commit a felony. George Copeman deposed that about 1 o'clock this morning he was awoke by a violent knocking at the door, and on going downstairs he found the prisoner lying in the front room; he could get no answer or information from the prisoner, he sent for a policeman; the door was forced open. To be imprisoned and kept at hard labour for six months.

Henry Howe, charged with having resisted constable Smith, pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to pay a penalty of £5, or to be imprisoned two months.

WATER POLICE COURT.

SATURDAY.

Before the Water Police Magistrate and Messrs. Hunt and Taylor.

Five persons were fined for drunkenness.

In the case of John Talbot, 14, charged with absenting himself from his apprenticeship with John Sinck, the indenture was cancelled by consent.

Several appeal cases were heard in reference to the borough of East St. Leonards, but they were all of small importance.

ROSTER.—Monday: Messrs. Lester, Williams, Curran, Holdsrow, M'Mahon, Marks, Flood, and Gray. Tuesday: Messrs. Hunt, Stratford, Goulding, Mullins, Paxton, Renwick, Smith, Maunsell, Neale, and Ridge. Wednesday: Messrs. Josephson, Roseby, Smart, Brown, Senior, Thornton, Richardson, and Goldring. Thursday: Messrs. Oatley, Raphael, Charlton, Solomon, Bird, M'Beath, Davies, Maunsell, and Gray. Friday: Messrs. Lester, Manning, Raymond, M'Mahon, Cohen, Goldring, Williams, Stratford, Flood, Harris, and Murray. Saturday: Messrs. Voss and Taylor.

AN ABORIGINAL COMMITTED FOR MURDER.

An inquiry was held on the 20th May (reports the *Central Australian*), at the Courthouse, Bourke, before Mr. A. O. Grant, Coroner for the district, touching the death of one "Jimmyeah," an aboriginal. An aboriginal named "Paddy" appeared in custody on suspicion of having caused the death of Jimmyeah.

James Keegan deposed: I am sub-inspector of police, stationed at Bourke; I knew the deceased Jimmyeah, an aboriginal, and I also know the aboriginal Paddy now before the Court; yesterday (Sunday) morning, a little after daylight, I was awoke by a brother of the deceased's calling me and saying that his brother was killed; he came to my house; I went to the blacks' camp, situated on the reserve near the courthouse; I found the prisoner sitting by the camp fire; from information received I said to him, "Did you kill Jimmyeah?" he replied, "No;" I said, "He is dead;" prisoner replied, "No, I only hit him three times;" I took prisoner to the barracks, and left him there until I went to Jimmyeah's camp, which is near Connolly's blacksmith's shop; I there found the deceased lying dead; he was covered up with a blanket; the body was quite warm; I came back and formally arrested prisoner.

Charles J. Grant deposed: I am a legally-qualified medical practitioner and Government medical officer for the police district of Bourke; yesterday morning, at about half past 7 o'clock, I was called by Mr. Keegan to see a blackfellow supposed to be dead; I found the blackfellow lying near Larkin's house, which adjoins Connolly's blacksmith's shop; he was lying on the ground on his left side as if asleep; he was dead, but the body was warm; there was blood about his head and on the blanket; there were no signs of any struggle; the deceased could have received the blows as he was lying; my impression is that the deceased never moved after he received the blows; by the request of the Coroner I made a post-mortem examination of the body; the injuries I observed might have been caused by the weapon produced, or any blunt instrument.

Tommy Bobart, an aboriginal, questioned as to the nature of an oath, and having answered satisfactorily—affirming, "Bad bun tell a lie"—being duly sworn, deposed: I am a tracker in the police force; I knew Jimmyeah; I have known him two or three years; I have known Paddy since we were little fellows; I was with Paddy yesterday morning; I went with Paddy and Billy as far as Connolly's blacksmith's shop, near Jimmyeah's camp; I went down with them because Paddy said he wanted to talk to Jimmyeah; I did not think that he wanted to hit him; no light; no sun up; it was before daylight; Paddy took with him a nulla-nulla and a boomerang; Paddy was camped with me, and took the weapons with him; our camp is close to where Mr. Keegan lives; Billy stopped at my camp that night; Paddy did not say anything about killing Jimmyeah before he got to Jimmyeah's camp; he gave me his coat and told me to go home; I came up half way and heard something crack behind me; I stopped; then I heard a second crack, and turned round; it was too dark to see anything, and in a few minutes Paddy and Billy came up from Jimmyeah's camp to where I was standing; I did not hear any cry when I heard the cracking noise; Paddy said when he came up to me that Jimmyeah was just getting up when he hit him in the back of the neck; he did not say that he had killed the deceased.

The jury retired, and after an absence of ten minutes, returned into court with a verdict of wilful murder.

Prisoner was then committed to take his trial at the next Circuit Court to be holden at Dubbo in October ensuing.

THE HODGKINSON GOLD-FIELD.

The special commissioner of the *Brisbane Courier* writes from the Hodgkinson River:—

I have seen the alluvial diggings under the most favourable aspect, with plenty of water everywhere for prospecting and for the working of claims, without being so abundant as to be a trouble, and then just enough work has been done on some of them to enable one to form an idea of what they are likely to be.

As a payable alluvial field the Hodgkinson, so far as it has yet been tried, has proved an unmistakable failure; for even though the state of the country were to continue as favourable for alluvial mining all the year round as it has been during the three or four weeks it has been upon its trial, the general run of the country would be much too poor to support a population entirely dependent on alluvial mining. But the impossibility of its ever being worked under such favourable conditions need scarcely be pointed out, as the entire district, with the exception of the rivers, is so parched for want of water during the greater part of the year that gold-washing over any large area would be out of the question. For years to come, however, providing the Chinese keep away, there is a fair probability of good patches being occasionally met with by the fossicker, better perhaps, than anything yet found; and that goodly sized nuggets and rich specimens will turn up now and again in a fugitive kind of way, and cause a temporary excitement.

At the very moment of writing this I am called away to see a gold specimen that has just been got in a gully only a few hundred yards from my tent. I have seen and handled it. It weighed 2¼ lbs in a butcher's spring balance, and from the small quantity of stone attached, and its beauty as a specimen, is worth its weight in sovereigns (£140). Nothing could better exemplify the character of the district than the circumstances under which this specimen was brought to light. The finder (George High) a decent, hard-working fellow out of luck, and almost *in extremis* in a pecuniary sense, had been fossicking about Mulligan's gully for days without getting anything, but this morning, having washed a half-grain speck in one dish, he determined to try further. While thus engaged a passing brother digger called out, "You'd do well there, mate, if you keep at it. I was trying there myself yesterday." (Claims and pegs rarely trouble people here.) "And what did you get?" quoth George. "A fine colour to two dishes" was the reply. But George kept at it notwithstanding; was ultimately rewarded with a grain speck; and almost immediately after, the 35-ounce piece fell in his way. Had it not been, too, that heavy rain fell on the previous night, the nugget might have remained for years longer undisturbed, for the water in the gully had entirely dried up in places, and except to a solitary fossicker here and there, it was deserted by the diggers. Only a few days before a 5-ounce specimen was found in the same gully, and several other pieces have been got in the neighbouring gullies and ravines at intervals. So little, however, does High think of his chances of finding anything further for a time that he has abandoned the search, and to-morrow will clear out of the diggings altogether with his treasure.

But this scarcely affects the character of the field in a general way. There is no "run" of gold anywhere; the alluvial digger has nothing to depend upon even with plenty of water and other things in his favour. Not a single man on the field is on gold for many days at a time, and unless payable gold is found in the main creeks, of which they have yet given but little indication, there will be but few alluvial diggers on the Hodgkinson a month or two hence. The majority must go elsewhere, or go reefing. It is a common observation here, and its truth sticks out almost painfully on every side, that there are a greater number of hard-up men on this field, and on their way from it, at the present moment, than were before on any rush in the North.

It is on the reefs that the reputation of the Hodgkinson as a gold-field must stand, and I have no hesitation in expressing the opinion—judging from surface indications and what two or three weeks' work have developed—that it is destined to become one of the most extensive and important quartz mining districts in the colony. The Hodgkinson could have "stood" on its reefs without reference to the alluvial.

The main diggers' camps are at this place (which is also the centre of the principal reefs yet opened); M'Leod's twelve miles north, and "Cornish Jemmy's" ten miles to the north-west. Twelve miles eastward are "The Pinnacles," where, at a locality two miles beyond, and again at M'Leod's reef, ten miles still further to the eastward, on the watershed of the Walsh, several patches of alluvial have been worked with more or less success (but nothing good), and where there are still several parties of diggers scattered about. There may be fifty to-day, half-a-dozen to-morrow, and none next week. The water here, as in most other parts of the district, is rapidly disappearing, and "dry-blowing" is out of the question, unless by way of experiment.

But nowhere on this field has anything been opened that will bear the remotest comparison with the old creeks and gullies of the Palmer. Men may work hard for days in the ravines and gullies without getting a pennyweight, and weeks without being able to make a living, even now with water at hand. The common prospect is "the colour," and if a "pennyweight dab," as it is jocularly (frequently seriously enough) termed, is struck once upon a time it is esteemed a stroke of fortune. Better patches are got occasionally, of course, but anything worth while is extremely rare, and is generally worked out in a few hours—at most in a few days; and as a rule you have to "travel" for the next. It is no stretch of fancy to state that in a gully where a digger once got four ounces to a single dish, and thought his fortune made right away, he couldn't make a living, for there was no more to be had. Hundreds of ravines have been worked from top to bottom, the whole golden contents of which, beyond the inevitable "colour," was contained within a few square feet of ground, or perhaps in a single nugget or specimen.

I know a man who, one day last week, obtained 6 ozs. 5 dwts. in an hour or two in a gully not far from this camp, but was unable to raise a pennyweight during the several days after that he stuck to the ground. Another who had been working hard and perseveringly in the gullies, and whose earnings never exceeded a pennyweight, was about to clear out for Cooktown in disgust, when a 5-dwt speck stopped him; but, since then again a "strong colour" has been his best prospect. A civil war veteran of the U.S.A. washes a half grain prospect in one of the back gullies five miles away, and cuts a race 10 feet long on the strength of it, but two days' hard ground-sluicing scarcely sufficed to put another half grain into his dish. A man named John Dixon got 7 oz. of coarse gold, including a 52-dwt. nugget, in one week in a creek three miles north-east of this camp, but ten men who worked beside him all the time could only scrape together an ounce amongst the lot, and Dixon worked another week for nil. Jack Kennedy and his two mates got an 8 oz. piece and 4 oz. of other gold in one day, immediately after their arrival on the field, and I am informed, have bagged some 45 oz. altogether during the three weeks they have been on the ground. But I have heard of no other run of luck equal to this anywhere on the field.

MEETING OF SIR DONALD M'LEAN AND THE MAORI KING.

(*From the New Zealand Times.*)

Alexandria, May 24.

This morning the Native Minister, accompanied by Major Kemp, Te Wheoro, Marshall, Bush, Davis (interpreter), and Major Mair, R.M., walked to the junction of the Mangapouri stream with the Waipa River. Here two large canoes, manned by natives, were in waiting. Commissioner Kemp, Major Mair, and Davis embarked in one canoe, and the rest in the other. The canoes paddled to Kaipiha, four miles up, where the party landed. Reynolds' house had been prepared for their reception. Soon after landing the natives assembled with the King, and chanted the new "Karatia" or Hauhau service, one of the tenets of which is abstinence from intoxicating liquors. The chant was pleasing, but monotonous, and the language a compound of the old Hauhau "Karatia," with additions. It ends with the usual "Gloria au te riri riri hau."

After the Karatia food was cooked in hangis for natives, and for Europeans by Reynolds' and Turners' people in English fashion. dinner was served for the Native Minister, Commissioners Kemp and Mair in excellent style, and the other Europeans were handsomely entertained by Reynolds at Turner's house.

Reynolds and Miss Turner did all possible to render the guests comfortable, and the dinner was equal to any English table. After dinner Tawhiao, accompanied by Te Ngakau Orhania, his principal adviser, Takerei, Tuhi, and Honana te Maioha, counsellors, paid a visit to the Native Minister, and welcomed him in the native fashion. Tawhiao was attired in an undressed doeskin mat over a handsome chief's mat. Ngakau was in European clothes. The King shook hands with all the Europeans. Tawhiao looks every inch a chief. He is tattooed, and has muscular features, regular and intelligent. Ngakau has very intelligent features, and a very bright complexion, not tattooed. He is said to be very shrewd. The King invited Sir Donald to remain for the night. This is a mark of high respect. He said he would give Sir Donald his own mat. Tawhiao made a present of a live pig to the Native Minister, which Commissioner Kemp, Maori fashion, again presented to the King.

Alexandra, May 25.

The Native Minister last night slept at Kaipihia, and discussed matters with Tawhiao until a late hour this morning. Commissioner Kemp reports that the private secretary, Marshall, and the Native Commissioner returned to Kaipihia. The King was found engaged at karakia, or prayers. The natives are very zealous, holding many long services during the day, as being appropriate to special occasions. Upon ordinary occasions only two services are held. The service consists of an intermixture of old karakia and new. The men and women pray alternately between chants. The prayers are addressed to Tawhiao who is regarded as God's vicegerent. At the services the natives sit or kneel in the open air, and men and women of moral lives are selected as tirehas, or priests. After prayers, Tawhiao paid another visit of ceremony to the native Minister. The conference so far is private, but it is understood to be most satisfactory. All the principal men utterly repudiate any anxiety to get Sir George Grey to discuss political questions with them; but if he came, they would receive him like any other old acquaintance, and merely discuss non-political questions.

Alexandra, May 26.

This being the tenth day according to the new dispensation and Hauhau Sabbath, several karakias were held. Taonui is officiating priest for the day. They are appointed by Tawhiao verbally. At karakia to-day about twenty Tareaus stood up at stages of the service, and some prayers beseeching God to show equal mercy to both races were offered. Jehovah, Tawhiao, and Teatu, or God, were prayed to in succession. Tawhiao is besought to shed the light of the truth throughout the island to preserve peace between the two races. The new religion appears to place Tawhiao in the position of Jesus Christ. Tawhiao is prayed to protect his people irrespective of race or colour. Tawhiao, Takeri, Tawhia te Wheoro, Commissioner Kemp and Major Mair dined together in European fashion, and the remainder of the Europeans were entertained by Reynolds. After dinner a long conference took place between the Native Minister and Tawhiao. Tawhiao brought under the notice of Sir Donald M'Lean the necessity for protecting the burial places of his Maori ancestors at Taupiri and elsewhere by reservation of land. This has been done with some places, but in others, such as Taupiri, railway quarries encroach too closely on the graves. The Native Minister promised to comply with the request, which considering Maori reverence for burial places is only reasonable. Other important matters were discussed, with a view of effecting perfectly amicable relations between the Government and the Kingites and ensuring permanent peace between the two races. The interview was satisfactory to both parties. The leading Kingite chief says "the ideas of Sir Donald M'Lean agree with our own establishment of good understanding." They also say Sir Donald M'Lean is the only man in New Zealand who can understand them, and whose thoughts they understand. One of the leading chiefs remarked: "Tawhiao and M'Lean are protectors to both races living in the island. Our hope is in them."

Cambridge, May 30.

To-day the Native Minister informed a deputation of settlers that the result of the interview with Tawhiao was highly satisfactory. They could rely upon his assistance in the future for carrying out beneficial measures. The King had promised to co-operate with the Government. The future of Waikato looked better than ever. Settlers need be under no apprehension in settling in the district. The deputation expressed great pleasure. In the afternoon, Sir Donald met about fifty Ngatihaus, of Matamata, on the lawn in front of Major Wilson's house. The natives requested aid towards a flour-mill. The Native Minister said he would consider the matter. Several natives urged attention to land claims at Te Aroha. The Native Minister promised an inquiry. The Ngatirankawas expressed a desire for a general meeting to discuss the question. The Native Minister explained that the tribes interested were scattered, and it was necessary to defer the meeting to a future occasion.

SUPPOSED DIAMOND FIELDS IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

(*From the Port Pirie Gazette, May 25.*)

A COMMUNICATION, which will be found below, has been handed in to us, which we deem worthy of notice. We refer to the letter of Mr. Ralph Otto relative to the supposed existence of diamonds in the surrounding districts. The writer has visited the richest of these fields, which were discovered about six years ago in the Dutch Republics of South Africa and in Griqualand, and which caused such excitement amongst the inhabitants of every grade and shade in that mysterious continent. He passed a term of more than six months in the various favourite diggings between the Vaal River and the territory which formed the subject of a fierce dispute been the Free State Republic and the British Government. As he has had an opportunity of examining hundreds of the much-prized gems, and must have been thoroughly well acquainted with the character of the lands where they are chiefly found, we attach considerable importance to the statement he makes (entirely of his own volition) in our columns to-day. Such a statement coming from a gentleman of so much intelligence, is not to be lightly regarded, and we therefore direct the attention of the public to the advice tendered in the letter referred to, which is as follows:—

"SUPPOSED MINERAL RESOURCES.

(*To the Editor.*)

"Sir,—As a traveller of somewhat extended experience, and a pretty close observer of topographical similarities, I feel impelled to call your attention and that of your readers to the circumstance that in several parts of the surrounding district there exist sufficient surface indications to warrant my expressing the opinion that the soil is diamondiferous, and in some places likely to prove auriferous. In the neighbourhood of Balaklava, and between that township and Hoyleton, the surface of the land bears so striking a resemblance to the celebrated Colesberg Kopje and Dutoit's pan diggings of the African diamond-fields that I would earnestly recommend the inhabitants of that region to institute an occasional prospecting search for the beautiful gems with which I suspect it abounds. The same observation applies with almost equal force to the lands immediately contiguous to Redhill, on the Clare side. Not only is the hue of the soil and the general conformation of the country precisely similar, but other indications well known to experienced diamond-seekers are observable. A persistent search would, I really believe, be rewarded by adequately important discoveries; and, failing that, the seeker would at least have the satisfaction of securing an interesting collection of very pretty stones, some of them possibly of intrinsic value.

"For the information of those who never saw a diamond in its crude state, I may observe that though generally of octagonal shape, they are not always so, nor do they always glitter. One of the surest tests is the very decided soapy feeling they give when handled, just like that given by a dry cake of brown Windsor soap. Most of the diamonds found in or upon dry ground are of a yellowish or saffron hue, some being fully as dark as gamboge. These are known in South Africa under the generic term 'off-coloured diamonds.' Those of what is called pure water are generally picked up in river beds, especially where gravel and small pebbles are plentiful. They are generally perfect or nearly so in shape, presenting the form of an octagon and never elongated, as are the quartz crystals found in all the Victorian reefs. Those crystals are besides hexagonal and rough when felt in the hand, which is never the case with respect to the diamond.

"I do not wish to say any more for the present concerning diamonds, and indeed did not in the first place mean to do more than express my opinion that they will yet be discovered in or near the places indicated, if not also in many other localities in this great continent. Of the clearly auriferous character of many parts of this neighbourhood—notably around Gladstone—I leave more experienced men to speak.

"I am, Sir, &c.,

"RALPH OTTO.

"Port Pirie, May 24."

ENGLISH NEWS BY THE MAIL.

LIEUTENANT CAMERON AT THE ROYAL GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY.

On the 11th April the large room of St. James's Hall was crowded in every part by the members of the Royal Geographical Society and their friends, to hear a paper read by Lieutenant V. Lovett Cameron, R.N., on his journey across the continent of Africa from Bagamoyo to Benguela.

Lieutenant Cameron was received with prolonged cheering, the audience rising in all parts of the hall to do him honour. He proceeded to give a minute account of his journey from the outset to the close, following pretty closely the narratives given in the letters forwarded by him to the Royal Geographical Society, and published in January last. Having stated that the first part of his journey was from the east coast to Ujiji, and that the expedition consisted originally of Dr. Dillon and himself at Aden, who were afterwards joined by Mr. Murphy, of the Royal Artillery, at Zanzibar, and at a later period by Mr. Moffatt, a nephew of Dr. Livingstone, he described various incidents connected with the journey along the Lomame, a minor valley in the great one of the Lualaba. At Ugoga, where the expedition stopped, they found the chief would only receive the tribute which they had to pay through his prime minister, and he was too drunk to transact any business. (Laughter.) At this place they struck Burton's route. On the 5th August they marched into the capital of Unyanyembe, and the Arabs escorted them to the house in which Stanley had lived. After a couple of days' rest they had to pay a round of visits to all the principal Arabs, which was a formidable undertaking as they had to eat something with each one to avoid giving offence. (Laughter.) About August 21st, 1873, a letter from Sir Samuel Baker arrived, and, in October, the party having been delayed by fever and desertions, came a letter from Jacob Wainwright, stating that Dr. Livingstone was dead, and that his caravan with the corpse was close by. He instantly sent off a large bale of cloth to assist them on their road to Unyanyembe, and when it arrived there all the principal Arabs assembled to show respect to his memory. (Cheers.) On arriving at Lake Tanganyika the lecturer said he could scarcely believe his eyes—the blue lake appeared to be sky, and the mountains in the distance to be clouds. In his cruise on the lake he found ninety-six rivers flowing into it, besides torrents and springs, and only one, the Lukuga, going out. (Hear, hear.) They found in some parts the grass troubled them very much. It grew to the height of twelve feet, and the stalks were thicker than one's finger, and it was absolutely necessary to burn it in order to get along at all, and then the stalks ran into one all over. The expedition ultimately arrived at Tipo-tipo's camp, on the bank of the Lomame, to whom he sent to ask leave to cross his territory, but was refused. Finding this route closed, he set off with three guides for Kasongo's capital, the big chief of Urua. In the course of his travels there Lieutenant Cameron was compelled occasionally to defend himself against attacks from the natives, some of whom were killed. He described meeting a number of women being driven as slaves by half-caste Portuguese. These women represented fifty or sixty destroyed villages. The half-caste Portuguese were more cruel in their treatment of slaves than the Arabs. He mentioned incidentally facts showing the vast area over which the influence of the chief Kasongo extended. In concluding, he said the main point of his discoveries was to prove the connection between Lake Tanganyika and the Congo, and to show conclusively that these had nothing whatever to do with the Nile. The great blot of the country was the slave trade, and the only way to do away with it was to establish commerce in the interior of Africa. To do that they had only to utilize the finest system of water communication in the world. (Cheers.)

EXCITING SCENE ON BOARD A STEAMER.

Later despatches from New York contain particulars of the burning of the steamer Mary Bell at Vicksburg on the 28th February. The vessel was bound to New Orleans, and had on board about 250 passengers. Previous to starting a fire was discovered among the cotton bales directly under the baggage-room, and it was thought a few buckets of water would extinguish it. The fire, however, gradually spread, and within seven minutes the vessel was in flames. A panic ensued among the passengers, and the greatest excitement prevailed. Some escaped by the stage plank, but this was soon in flames, and all egress by that means cut off. A steamer lay between the Mary Bell and the shore, and by jumping over the guards of this vessel a good many escaped. The wind at the time was blowing from the shore, and this prevented the flames spreading to the vessel moored next the Mary Bell. Some of the ladies and children had locked themselves in their staterooms, the doors having to be broken open and the stupefied inmates carried ashore. All the passengers escaped without injury, but most of them lost their baggage. An effort was made by some men to cut away the guards and release about fifty cattle on board, but the heat was so great that they were obliged to retreat, and nearly the whole of the poor beasts were roasted alive.

RAILWAY ACCIDENTS OF 1875.

A Parliamentary return respecting railway accidents reported to the Board of Trade during the year 1875 states that the total number of persons killed on railways in the United Kingdom was 1290, and the total number injured 5755. A summary of the tables given in the return states that during the year 116 passengers were killed and 594 injured from their own want of caution or misconduct. Of these 53 were killed and 105 injured by falling between trains and platforms; 19 were killed and 316 injured by falling on to the platforms, &c., when getting into or alighting from trains; 34 were killed and 35 injured when passing over the line at stations; 7 were killed and 35 injured by falling out of carriages during the travelling of trains; 44 were injured by the closing of carriage doors; and 13 were killed and 99 injured through other causes. Of other persons included in this division, 66 were killed and 41 injured while passing over railways at level crossings, viz., 31 killed and 28 injured at public level crossings, 10 killed and 4 injured at foot crossings, and 18 killed and 9 injured at occupation crossings; 248 were killed and 185 injured when trespassing on the railways; 25 persons committed suicide by throwing themselves on the lines in front of approaching trains; while of other persons not specifically classed, but mostly private people having business on the companies' premises, 52 were killed and 105 were injured. With reference to the number and character of the year's accidents the summary states that there were reported 55 collisions between passenger trains or parts of passenger trains, by which 10 passengers were killed, and 221 passengers and 12 servants of the company were injured; 179 collisions between passenger trains and goods or mineral trains, engines, &c., causing the death of 2 passengers and 1 servant, and injury to 678 passengers and 63 servants; 77 collisions between goods trains, &c., causing the death of 5 servants, and injury to 11 passengers (persons travelling in charge of cattle, &c.) and 60 servants; 7 collisions between light engines, injuring 9 servants; 87 passenger trains, or parts of such trains leaving the rails, causing the death of 2 passengers and 2 servants, and injury to 89 passengers and 2 servants; 60 goods trains, or parts of such trains, leaving the rails, causing the death of 4 servants and injury to 1 passenger and 5 servants; 75 instances of trains or engines being wrongly turned into sidings or otherwise through facing points, causing the death of 1 passenger and 3 servants, and injury to 5 passengers and 25 servants; 29 instances of trains running into stations at too high a speed, causing injury to 54 passengers and 4 servants. There have also been reported 283 cases of trains running over cattle which had strayed on to the railways, and other obstructions, by which 1 servant was killed and 8 passengers and 2 servants were injured; 79 were cases of trains running through gates at level crossings, by which 1 servant was killed and 4 were injured; 20 cases of bursting of boilers, tubes, or gauge-glasses of engines, whereby 23 servants were injured; 669 failures of tyres have been reported, resulting in the death of 1 servant and injury to [illegible] passengers and 2 servants; while 29 failures of couplings caused the death of 3 passengers and 1 servant, and injury to 40 passengers and 5 servants, 17 slips in cuttings or embankments caused the death of 2 servants and injury to 3 passengers and 3 servants; and fires in trains of which there were 21 cases, resulted in the death of 1 servant. There have also been reported 11 failures of machinery of engines, causing injury to 2 servants; 478 failures of axles, injuring 5 servants; 6 failures of brake apparatus, causing injury to 8 passengers; 7 failures of ropes used in working inclines, injuring 2 servants; 5 failures of tunnels, bridges, &c., injuring 1 servant; 476 broken rails, with injury to one servant; 8 cases of fire at stations, resulting in injury to 1 passenger; 112 failures of wheels, and 88 instances of the flooding of railways, not involving personal injury; and 36 other accidents which caused injury to 33 passengers and 5 servants. As regards accidents to servants in the employ of railway companies or contractors, it is stated that during the year, and exclusive of those in the preceding paragraph, 744 servants of companies or contractors were killed, and 3377 injured. Of these 214 were killed and 228 injured while walking, crossing, or standing on the line; and 104 were killed and 469 injured during shunting operations. As compared with the year 1874, there was a decrease last year in the number of passengers killed and injured of 67 and 175 respectively. The figures in 1874 were:—Passengers killed, 201, and injured, 1981; servants of railway companies and contractors, killed, 788, and injured, 2815; other persons, killed, 425, and injured 245. Total killed, 1424; and total injured, 5041.

GALE AND SNOWSTORM IN ENGLAND.

The *Weekly Dispatch* of the 16th April says:—The weather has suddenly become winterly again, and on Tuesday there were very light downfalls of snow in some parts of London, and rain in others. The wind, too, was very rough, and in some suburban districts hail fell. In Scotland the change had been more severe. The weather there, which during last week was about as mild and genial as that usually experienced in June or July, underwent a disagreeable change on Monday. Early in the morning there were, in Edinburgh, occasional heavy showers of sleet, and in the course of the forenoon snow began to fall. It continued, with little intermission, till the evening was well advanced, but except in sheltered situations the snow melted as soon as it reached the ground. At night rain set in, and the wind changed from the east to the north-west. The snowstorm also prevailed at places so widely apart as Glasgow, Rothesay, Newton-Stewart, Dunfermline, Aberfeldy, Shotts, Wick, Melrose, and in the counties of Fife, Kinross, Clackmannan, and Dumfries. At Inverness the snow began to descend about 10 on Monday night, and continued to fall heavily at midnight, when a strong gale from the north-west was blowing. There were several rather smart showers of hail and snow in the northern counties of Scotland on Tuesday morning, and in some places, particularly in the upper reaches of the Dee, snow lay to the depth of a few inches. All day there was a stiff breeze from the north-east, and the air was quite as cold as at any time during the past winter. At Lowestoft there was a heavy snowstorm all Tuesday, with thunder from the south. There was a heavy fall of snow in North Wales on Tuesday night.

A telegram from New Romney, Kent, states that on Monday evening the schooner Tobina, master Wartboer, bound from Sunderland to Blaye, France, with a cargo of coal, was at anchor on the Roar Bank, when she was observed from the shore to be dragging her anchor, and gradually to heel over. The alarm was at once given, and the lifeboat, Dr. Hatton, belonging to the National Institution, was promptly got out. It was low water at the time, and much difficulty was experienced in taking the boat down to the water's edge over the heavy shingle; but she was at last launched, and proceeded out to the distressed vessel. On arriving alongside, the schooner was found submerged, the crew having taken to the rigging, and a very heavy sea breaking completely over the wreck. The five sailors were taken into the lifeboat, and in doing so one of them, a boy, fell overboard, but was picked up. The water was rapidly rising, and all would inevitably have perished in an hour or so in the absence of the lifeboat. An effort had previously been made to launch the ship's boat, but she capsized, and two poor fellows lost their lives.

A telegram from Lytham, Lancashire, reports that the schooner Wyre, of Fleetwood, bound for that port with a cargo of stone, was seen in distress off that place on Tuesday morning, during a gale from the north-west, with very heavy sea. The Lytham lifeboat went out to her in tow of a steam-tug, and after considerable exertion was able to save two of the schooner's crew. A boy had, unfortunately, been washed overboard from the vessel and drowned before she struck the ground.

Three fishing cobles were overtaken off Staithes, Yorkshire, on Monday, by a strong gale from the north-east, accompanied by a very high sea, and were unable to make the land. The Staithes new lifeboat, the Hannah Somerset, belonging to the Lifeboat Institution, went out to them, and, although the sea broke completely over her, she was enabled to escort the fishing-boats safely to shore.

The trains from Scotland on Wednesday morning showed by their white tops how severe had been the return of winter beyond the Tweed. For many years there has not been, at so advanced a season as mid-April, a snowstorm comparable with that which on Tuesday visited Ross-shire, interrupted telegraphic communication between all places west and north of Dingwall, caused many deep and dangerous drifts to accumulate in highland and lowland parts of the country, and, by an accompaniment of high wind and sharp hail showers, has threatened with serious injury—if not destruction—blossoming fruit-trees and vegetation of every kind. In London Wednesday was ushered in with a heavy fall of snow, which recurred fitfully throughout the day. At half-past 2 a sudden access of fury in the northerly gale brought with it enormous masses of black cloud charged not only with snow but with electricity, so that the somewhat strange phenomenon of thunder in the midst of a violent snowstorm, vivid flashes of lightning playing through the thick-coming flakes, was observed with astonishment by thousands of Londoners. The cold was actually more intense during the thunderstorm, which only lasted a few minutes, than at any other period of the day.

THE COLLISION BETWEEN THE FRANCONIA AND THE STRATHCLYDE.

The trial of the captain of the German ship Franconia on a charge of manslaughter was brought to a close at the Central Criminal Court on April 7, when the jury returned a verdict of "guilty," and judgment was reserved, pending the decision of the Court of Criminal Appeal upon the point of law which had been raised respecting the jurisdiction of the Court. The defendant was admitted to bail. On the whole there is no apparent reason to dissent from the finding of the jury, which will probably be in harmony at once with primary and final impressions. The captain of the Strathclyde may not have done all which would seem advisable to one who, at this date, calmly reviews the circumstances of the calamity. But it is absolutely certain the German vessel was handled with supreme and culpable indifference to the exigencies of safe navigation in the English Channel. We wish we could have acquitted the commander of the latter of the grave moral charge of inhumanity, which it was barely possible to separate from the indictment. Much allowance for him must be made from the fact that he was apparently carried away by the fears of his timorous pilot, and a premature and unfounded apprehension that his vessel was sinking. And we would not push aside altogether the rather shabby plea that he believed the safety of the Strathclyde passengers would be seen to bring the tug Palmerston and the luggers in the vicinity. But these extenuating circumstances do not greatly or materially affect the character of his conduct. It was a paltry and sadly unheroic thing to cut down a ship and then to leave all on board to sink or swim. No devisable excuse can put a fair complexion upon it. We do not ask that when Captain Keyn comes up to receive sentence—if the Court for Crown cases does not intervene and arrest the sentence—he shall be punished heavily. All that is necessary is to show that on sea as on land the arm of the law will, so far as it can reach, exact rigorous care of life, and will place captains culpably negligent in the dock. What will be the fate in store for the point of law reserved it is unnecessary to inquire. It will, however, be assuredly a surprising result, pregnant with strange consequences, if, as the counsel for Captain Keyn maintains, foreigners who are temporarily in English waters may set our law at defiance with impunity, so far as our courts are concerned.

SUICIDE OF LORD LYTTELTON.

Lord Lyttelton died on the 19th April at his own residence, 18, Park-crescent, Regent's Park. Yesterday afternoon Dr. Hardwicke held an inquest into the circumstances connected with the death, when it was stated that his lordship had been suffering from depression of spirits for some weeks, and that an attendant had been engaged to watch his movements. On Monday last his lordship passed a very restless night, and on Tuesday morning, while the attendant was shaving him, Lord Lyttelton asked him to stop for a time while he walked about the room. After his lordship had walked across the room twice he suddenly darted to the bedroom door, opened it, and ran out closing the door after him. The attendant immediately ran after him, but before he could reach him, Lord Lyttelton threw himself over the handrail of the staircase, and fell to the bottom. He was taken up insensible, and died the next morning. Dr. Andrew Clark said that the immediate cause of death was a fainting of the heart caused by the shock. The heart, from the first, never could have recovered its action. In answer to the jury, Dr. Clark said his lordship had for years been liable to the malady of melancholia, which was a depression without a delusion. It would last from five or six weeks to three months, but he had always got better after a little treatment. In the present instance the malady was more obstinate, and that led him to caution the family. It was of that sort which led to insanity, and, in point of fact, the deceased was insane. The jury returned a verdict of 'Suicide while of unsound mind.' Lord Lyttelton was fifty-nine years of age.

BOROUGH COUNCILS.

NEWTOWN.—The usual meeting of this Council was held at the Town Hall, Newtown, on Tuesday, 6th June. Present—The Mayor, with Aldermen Cozens, Smith, Neale, Fallick, and Henderson. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed. Letters were read from—1. Under-Secretary for Public Works, desiring to be informed whether this Council is willing to undertake the expenditure of £1048 2s. allotted for the following portions of main road, viz., from the City boundary to Railway bridge, from Railway bridge to boundary of St. Peters municipality, and from Railway Bridge to junction of Enmore and Stanmore Roads—such expenditure to be confined to metalling with blue metal the central roadways; the cost of works under execution by the works department on the Enmore Road to be deducted from such amount. Moved by Alderman Smith, seconded by Alderman Henderson,—"That this Council respectfully declines to accede to the proposals contained in such letter." Motion put and carried unanimously. 2. From the Under-Secretary for Finance and Trade. Received. 3. From the Under-Secretary for Lands respecting alignment of certain streets. Received. 4. From Borough Council of Marrickville. Moved by Alderman Henderson,—"That it be considered this day six months, if then thought expedient." Seconded by Alderman Neale, and carried. 5. From Mr. T. Wilbow, respecting blue metal. Received. 6. From Mr. J. L. Hordern, calling attention to a lane at the rear of his house in Albemarle-street. Moved by Alderman Smith, seconded by Alderman Fallick,—"That the matter be attended to as soon as possible." Carried. 7. From Mr. John Lees. Received. Motion pursuant to notice, by Alderman Neale,—"That £30 be voted for the purchase of broken white metal for the repair of Camden-street, and that the Mayor be authorised to purchase the same at once." Seconded by Alderman Henderson and carried. Resolved—"That tenders be called for the formation at so much per chain of London and Wells streets." Moved by Alderman Fallick, seconded by Alderman Neale—"That tenders be invited for the purchase of debentures of £100 each, to the amount of £3000, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent., payable half-yearly, secured upon the general revenues of the borough for the purpose of paying off the bank overdraft and mortgage on town hall, and for permanent improvements in this borough, &c., as per recommendation of the special committee appointed to consider the matter." Carried. Moved by Alderman Smith, seconded by Alderman Fallick,—"That tenders be called for the supply of 150 tons stone ballast—50 tons for each ward." Carried. Moved by Alderman Smith, seconded by Alderman Fallick,—"That the Borough Council of Camperdown be invited to join this Council in forming and ballasting Bishopgate-street." Carried. Alderman Smith handed in a notice of motion for next meeting. The meeting then closed.—C. J. BANKS, Council Clerk.

MARRICKVILLE.—The usual fortnightly meeting of the Council was held at half-past 7 p.m., on Monday, the 5th instant. Present—The Mayor (Rollo A. Cape) in the chair, Aldermen Geering, Graham, Miles, Pfoeffer, Simpson, Thomas, and Wright. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed. The following letters were read:—1. From the Department of Public Works, asking the Council to undertake the expenditure of the sum of £373 6s., allotted for the portion of main road extending from the junction of Enmore and Stanmore Roads to Underclif Bridge; and the sum of £256 7s., allotted for the portion of main road extending from the boundary of the Petersham municipality to the old Canterbury Road (Stanmore Road). Upon the motion of Alderman Graham, seconded by Alderman Wright, the Council agreed to accept the expenditure of the amounts named. 2. Letter from Petersham Council, asking this Council to co-operate with them in the cost of maintaining a lamp to be erected for the purpose of protecting a letter-box about to be erected near their Council-chambers. Upon the motion of Alderman Graham, seconded by Alderman Simpson, the letter was received, to stand an order of the day for a later period of the evening. 3. From Mr. W. J. Turner, directing the Council's attention to the state of a portion of the footpath in Alma-lane. Alderman Simpson moved,—"That the letter be received, and referred to the Committee for Works to be dealt with." Seconded by Alderman Wright, and carried. 4. Letter from the Borough Council of West Maitland respecting the "Nuisance Prevention Act," &c. Alderman Graham moved,—"That the letter be received, and that a copy of the by-laws of this municipality be sent to them." Seconded by Alderman Wright, and carried. 5 and 6. Letters from Adam Schwabel and C. George were received, and referred to the Committee for Works. Alderman Wright moved,—"That the report of the Finance Committee be received and considered at a later period of the evening." Seconded by Alderman Miles and carried. Committee for Works. Alderman Pfoeffer moved,—"That the progress report of this committee be adopted," seconded by Alderman Graham, and carried. Alderman Pfoeffer also moved,—"That the report of this committee on a letter from Mr. Henry Geering, be adopted," seconded by Alderman Graham, and carried. The treasurer informed the Council, that the sum of £92 8s. 9d. had been banked since last meeting, and his report was adopted on the motion of Alderman Graham, seconded by Alderman Thomas. Tenders for debentures of £150, bearing interest at 6 per cent. Mr. J. S. Sadler's tender for this was accepted at the price offered by him, viz., £150. The Mayor then retired and Alderman Graham was voted to the chair. Alderman Thomas (for Alderman Graham) moved,—"That the sum of £8 be voted as an allowance to the post mistress for employing a letter receiver, about to be placed at the corner of the Illawarra and Marrickville Roads." Seconded by Alderman Pfoeffer, and carried. The following motions standing in the name of Alderman Simpson, were carried:—"1. That the sum of not exceeding £3 10s be spent for the purpose of placing piping at the corner of Enmore and Addison Roads" "2. That the entrance to Mr. Thomson and Miss Poulson's properties, in Sebastapol-street, be ballasted at the cost of the owners." "3. That pipes be laid at the entrance to the Wesleyan College grounds at the owner's cost." Standing order: Letter from Petersham Council. Alderman Simpson moved,—"That the request of the Petersham Council be not entertained." Seconded by Alderman Miles, and carried. Alderman Wright moved,—"That the report of the Finance Committee, recommending payment of sundry accounts, amounting in all to £14 7s. 2d., be adopted, and payment authorised." Seconded by Alderman Miles, and carried. Alderman Pfoeffer moved,—"That the report of the Committee for Works on works proposed to be done during the ensuing fortnight, be adopted." Seconded by Alderman Graham, and carried. The Council then rose. L. J. PARK, Council Clerk.

GLEBE.—A meeting of the Council was held in the Council-chamber, on Monday, 5th instant. Present—Aldermen Seamer, Passau, Bull, Williams, Tye, Dunn, Ellis, and Turner. The Mayor being absent, Alderman Seamer was moved to the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed. Correspondence:—1st. Letter from the sub-manager of the Lyndhurst Estate in reference to drains to be placed on the property; referred to the Improvement Committee. 2nd. From a ratepayer in Crown-street in reference to the dimensions of a closet which the Inspector of Nuisance objected to; referred to the Improvement Committee. 3rd. From Mrs. Holmes, in reference to the state of Queen-street; referred to the Improvement Committee. 4. Letter from Mr. W. B. Asprey, asking the Council to rent the Council Chambers to Society of Royal Foresters to hold meetings. Resolved that the use of Council Chambers be granted to the Royal Foresters on alternative Tuesday nights, for the term not exceeding six months, their conduct being approved by the Council, terms to be 10s. per month. Reports: Finance of 5th June, for payment of £212 11s. 7d. Special, from committee of the whole Council of 10th May. 1. Stating that Mr. P. Law was duly appointed inspector of nuisance for the borough. 2. Showing the best course of sewage to be from Broughton-street on to the Government sewer at Blackwattle swamp. 3. That Mr. G. Laws tender to supply cinders of a good description, for footpaths, had been accepted. 4. That the use of Council Chamber had been granted to the Rowing Club, for meetings, for three months. Motions: 1. By Alderman Dunn,—"That from the angle in Grose-street on to Bay-street be kerbed and guttered on either side, and that the surveyor make an estimate of the same." Moved as an amendment, by Alderman Tye,—"That it be referred to the Improvement Committee." Seconded by Alderman Williams, and carried. Moved by Alderman Passau, at the request of Alderman Seamer, in whose name the motion stood,—"That it be referred to the Improvement and Lighting Committees to report upon the necessity of placing a lamp at the junction of Mount Vernon-street with St. John's Road." Seconded by Alderman Bull. Moved as an amendment by Alderman Turner,—"That the matter be not referred to the Lighting Committee." Seconded by Alderman Williams. The amendment was first put and negatived. The original motion was then put and carried. Moved by Alderman Passau, at Alderman Seamer's request,—"That a lamp be placed in Catherine-street, in accordance with the committee's report of 22nd March last." Seconded by Alderman Bull, and carried unanimously. Moved by Alderman Passau, at the request of Alderman Seamer,—"That the Mayor move in his place in Parliament that power be granted this Council to sell all that portion of land on the Parramatta old Road dedicated to this Council for a council-chamber and school of arts, the proceeds to be placed at interest until an eligible site be procured." Seconded by Alderman Bull, and carried unanimously. The finance report was adopted on the motion of Alderman Passau, seconded by Alderman Dunn; and on the motion of Alderman Williams, seconded by Alderman Turner, the special report was adopted.—W. DE BURGH HOCTER, Council Clerk.

WAVERLEY.—Council meeting held Tuesday, June 16th. Present: The Mayor (Mr. J. Macpherson), Aldermen Fletcher, Henderson, Newman, Watkins, and Wiley. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed. Correspondence: Copies of letters dispatched during the month were read, and the following received:—1. From J. England, relative to reduction of arrears of rates. 2. From H. Zions, drawing attention to the drainage from the road damaging his property. Referred to overseer for report. 3. From J. Vickery, Esq., drawing attention to the damage received by stray cattle, &c. The Council Clerk was instructed to acknowledge receipts of same, and to state that measures were being taken to prevent a recurrence of the nuisance complained of. 4. From the Honorable the Minister for Lands, informing the Council that he had approved of £20 being granted for cemetery. 5. From the Treasury, stating that this Council had received the full amount of the endowment as allowed by the Act. Petitions: 1. From ratepayers, in Nelson Ward, praying that a public gas lamp be erected at the junction of Arden-street and Trafalgar Road. The petition was received. Reports: 1. From J. J. Davey, C.E., relative to water supply. Received and referred to next meeting. From the Finance Committee recommending the payment of £71 19s. 6d. general account and £14 6s. 5d. cemetery account. The report was adopted. Motions.—A motion in the name of Alderman Pottie, re the establishment of a free public library in the borough, was proposed by Alderman Newman, but not having been seconded it lapsed. Moved by Alderman Newman, seconded by Alderman Henderson (pro forma)—"That £50 be voted to repair Victoria-street, from Henrietta-street to Charing-cross." An amendment was moved by Alderman Henderson, seconded by Alderman Watkins,—"That this Council vote an amount equal in proportion to that contributed by the Woollahra and Waverley Omnibus Company, and that the Council clerk be instructed to write them to that effect." The amendment was carried. Moved by the Mayor, seconded by Alderman Watkins,—"That this Council borrow by debentures the sum of £500 at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, and secured on the general revenue of the borough, to be repayable in the year 1882, such amount to be expended on permanent improvements in the borough." Carried. Moved by Alderman Newman, for Alderman Pottie, seconded by Alderman Henderson,—"That this Council vote the sum of £5 to maintain a public gas lamp, at the junction of Arden-street and Trafalgar road, for remainder of the year." Carried. Moved by the Mayor, seconded by Alderman Watkins—"That this Council vote the sum of £50 out of the grant made by the Government for the cemetery, for trenching and planting the cemetery with trees." Carried. Moved by Alderman Wiley, seconded by Alderman Henderson,—"That the Mayor be requested to communicate with Mr. Pearce relative to the laying out of the cemetery, and that an estimate of the cost of same be obtained." Carried. There being no further business, the Council rose.—WILLIAM WILEY, Council Clerk.

INTELLIGENCE has reached St. Petersburg from Kasan that the German Exploring Expedition to Western Siberia arrived there on the 27th March, after encountering many difficulties.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—JUNE 10.

Black Swan (s.), 511 tons, Captain A. T. Edwards, from Brisbane 7th instant. Passengers—Messrs. Wheeler (2), O'Connor, and 9 in the steerage. A. S. N. Co., agents.

Mary Ann Annison, barque, 96 tons, Captain Hughes, from Lyttelton 28th ultimo. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton and son, Mrs. Hughes and family, Mr. and Miss Lydiard, Messrs. Lydiard (2), and 2 in the steerage. Captain, agent.

Black Prince, barque, 350 tons, Captain Inglis, from Adelaide 1st instant. Passenger—Miss Davidson. Joseph Ward and Co., agents.

Woonona (s.), 404 tons, Captain Morwich, from Adelaide 5th instant. Bulli Co., agents.

Somerset (s.), 654 tons, Captain Torrance, from Melbourne 7th instant, in ballast. Scott, Henderson, and Co. agents.

Fiona (s.), 738 tons, Captain Curphey, from Warrnambool 7th instant. C. and R. R. Co., agents.

City of Adelaide (s.), 1000 tons, Captain D. Walker, from Melbourne 8th instant. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. A. Sullivan, Mr. and Miss Roxburgh, Mr. and Mrs. S. Stuart, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Dawson, child and servant, Mrs. Green, Mrs. White, Mrs. Petley, Miss Green, Miss Woodward, Miss O'Mara, Miss Mehan, Miss Cook, Miss J. Green, Master Petley, Messrs. J. Tait, J. A. Campbell, A. J. Martin, Douglass, W. H. Paxton, Stuart, C. Berthon, Katzenstein, C. Allan, G. Brown, H. Foster, E. Kaiser, S. Mitchell, A. M'Kenzie, A. Bastock, W. Elliot, T. Coverley, D. K. Conedon, T. W. Oakley, F. Bailliere, H. Preacher, J. C. Willis, Dr. H. L. Lindeman, and 20 in the steerage. A. S. N. Co., agents.

JUNE 11.

New England (s.), 400 tons, Captain Mann, from the Clarence River 9th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Slater, Mrs. Dillon, Messrs. Halliday, Callaghan, Woods, Williams, and 9 in the steerage. C. and R. R. Co., agents.

Boomerang (s.), 600 tons, Captain Durrell, from Rockhampton 7th instant. Passengers—Mr. Jackson and 10 in the steerage. A. S. N. Co., agents.

Agnes Irving (s.), 500 tons, Captain Bracegirdle, from Grafton 10th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Griffiths and servant, Miss Russell, Miss Wesling, Mrs. M'Grath, Mrs. Easby, Miss Northcott, Mr. Northcott, Messrs. Griffiths, Wurtough, Bell, Harrison, Northcott, Thompson, Muirhead, Cooper, Naughton, and 11 in the steerage. C. and R. R. Co., agents.

Hawkesbury, ship, 1170 tons, Captain Carvosso, from London 19th March. Passengers—Miss Dickson, Miss Forward, Mr. and Mrs. Howell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clemist, Mrs. Warwick and 2 children, Miss Fraser, Messrs. Warwick, Pearse, Smith, Bayley, Bund, Gilchrist, Watt, and Co., agents.

Barrabool (s.), 583 tons, Captain Paine, from Melbourne 9th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Tate and 2 children, Mr. Burgess, Mrs. Singe, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. West and child, Miss Swannell, Miss Fox, Miss Zeplin, Miss Nihill, Miss Duckett, Miss Moore, Miss Gracey, Messrs. Burgess, Singe, Jones, A. Fox, Thomson, Perkins, Lace, Beale, Rutledge, Ricketson, Mostyn, A. West, Green, Russell, Rev. J. C. Corlette, and 20 in the steerage. W. Howard Smith, agent.

DEPARTURES.—JUNE 10.

Avoca (s.), for Melbourne.
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Lord Ashley (s.), for New Caledonia.
Alexandria (s.), for Melbourne.
Egmont (s.), for Brisbane.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—JUNE 12.

Papillon, for San Francisco; John Knox, for Lyttelton; Agnes Edgell, for Newcastle.

CLEARANCES.—JUNE 10.

Avoca (s.), 1200 tons, Captain Stead, for Melbourne. Passengers—For Southampton: Dr. Young, Mr. John Coe, Mr. W. Tait. For Galle: Lieut.-Colonel Hersillon and servant. For Adelaide: Mr. W. H. Lomax. For Melbourne: Messrs. M. Jacobs, Gowan Evans, C. Iceiy, Miller, W. Stone, H. Wilkinson, E. H. Long, H. R. Hogg.

Sea Shell, barque, 219 tons, Captain M'Arthur, for Auckland. Passengers—7 in the steerage.

Alexandra (s.), 600 tons, Captain W. J. Stuart, for Melbourne. Passengers—Miss E. Rourke, Miss Hogan, Mrs. Casey, Miss M. London, Miss Thompson, Miss M. A. Goodwin, Mrs. A. Chandler, Messrs. J. Stephens, J. Wells, Callaghan, J. Hogan, W. Roby, J. G. O'Connell, J. Aher, E. Linder, Kemp, W. Casey, Clark, Gray, H. Tuck, Edwards, Capwell, J. Moore, G. Ross, P. Mack, F. Davidson, L. Finch, R. M. Galloway, H. Squire, and 21 in the steerage.

Edina (s.), 300 tons, Captain Louth, for Brisbane and Maryborough. Passengers—Messrs. R. Dawbin, C. Horner, J. Pullen, J. Bird, F. Williams, A. Hansen, and 2 in the steerage.

COASTERS INWARDS.—JUNE 10.

Lizzie Davis, from Macleay River, with 1000 bags maize, 4 packages tobacco; Settlers' Friend, from Camden Haven, with 34,000 feet timber, 8 hides; Rosebud, from the Manning River, with 22,000 feet timber, 3400 shingles; Margaret and Jane, from Port Macquarie, with 100 bags maize, 5000 feet cedar; Elizabeth, Industry, from Broken Bay, with 26 tons firewood, 516 bushels maize; Saxonia, from Wollongong, with 400 tons coal; Bulli, from Bulli, with 450 tons coal; Kembla (s.), from Hunter River, with 150 bags barley, 30 hides, 4 bundles skins, 12 cases wine, and sundries; Coonanbara (s.), from Hunter River, with 70 bales hay, 30 bags tin ore, 3 cases eggs, 3 coops fowls, 11 boxes candles, and sundries.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—JUNE 10.

Rosebud, for Bellinger River; Bulli (s.), for Bulli; Settlers' Friend, for Manning River; Woniora, Saxonia, Lady Belmore, for Newcastle; Industry, for Broken Bay; Margaret Jane, for Port Macquarie.

IMPORTS.—JUNE 10.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices in this column.]

City of Adelaide (s.), from Melbourne: 200 boxes candles, 30 casks wine, 78 bags oatmeal, 400 bags onions, 100 cases 16 casks boiled oil, 3 tanks hops, 5 packages tea, 200 coils wire, 500 cases kerosene oil, 600 bags chaff, 2 horses, 1 trap, 700 packages sundries.

Black Prince, from Adelaide: 3126 bags wheat, 3321 bags flour, 270 bales hay, 1120 bags chaff.

Woonona (s.), from Adelaide: 155 tons 950 bags flour, 920 bags wheat, 20 cases apples, 175 bales hay, 57 bundles wire, 81 packages zinc, 108 ingots lead.

Mary Ann Annison, from Lyttelton: 3276 bags oats, 800 bags barley, 5 tanks malt, 200 bags bran.

Black Swan (s.), from Brisbane: 25 casks tallow, 100 bags maize.

Fiona (s.), from Warrnambool: 6640 bags potatoes, 55 tons animal charcoal, and 19 cases cheese.

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Boomerang (s.), from Rockhampton: 57 bales wool, 1 bale skins, 8 casks tallow, 58 hides, 1 case plants.

Barrabool (s.), from Melbourne: 2500 bags chaff, 538 bags onions, 100 sheep, 100 bags oats, 45 casks resin, 57 cases sewing-machines, 25 kegs butter, 9 crates vegetables, 350 packages sundries.

Ex Devon: 2 cases oak varnish; 1 case copal varnish; 1 case gold size; 1 case black japan; 12 kegs raddle; 4 keg red paint; 20 drums linseed oil; 3 casks hatchets; 6 casks horseshoes; 8 dozen shovels; 1 cask Flemish tacks; 1 cask air bricks; 11 bundle fryingpans; 1 cask paint brushes; 4 casks all-over cased hames; 1 case mincers; 1 case R. Sorby's handsaws; 1 cask Carpenter's rim locks; 1 cask brass till locks, jack chains, chair nails, tinned rings, cupboard locks, iron rules, gimlet bits, 3 cases four bells; 1 cask gold scales, saw handles, plane handles, ships compasses, coffin furniture; 1 cask bay knives, bow-handle fryingpans, dog chains; 1 cask pudding moulds, cash boxes, candlesticks; 1 cask enamelled dinner plates, whitewash and shoe brushes, flat-iron stands; 1 case galvanized and tinned wash basins; 1 case knife-boards—Rabone, Fees, and Co.

Ex Devon: 1 case shoe knives; 1 case assorted boot web; 1 case straining web; 1 case cut nails; 1 case buggy furniture; 2 cases elastic web—Alderson and Sons.

Ex Norman Court: 6 cases sewing-machines; 1 case saddle nails; 1 bale white serge; 1 case threads; 2 cases elastic web—Alderson and Sons.

Ex Medea: 77 Geelong cheeses—G. W. Tate.

Ex Macedon: 174 Gippsland cheeses—G. W. Tate.

Ex Woonona (s.): 1100 sacks, 100 half-sacks flour—Bellby and Co.

Ex Woonona (s.): 500 sacks Darling's superfine imperial flour—Walter Scott.

Ex Black Prince: 1000 bags Butterworth's flour—George A. Lloyd and Co.

Ex Black Prince: 311 sacks flour—Bellby and Co.

Ex Black Prince: 290 bushels wheat, 860 sacks Verco, Hart, and Magarey's superfine, fine, and household flour; 106 bales hay—Henry Dare.

Ex Roopstrell, Devon, and Herrmann: 41 packages tools—Thomas Aitken.

EXPORTS.—JUNE 10.

Avoca (s.), for Melbourne: 120,000 sovereigns.

Sea Shell, for Auckland: 247 cases brandy, 8 packages tea, 12 bags sugar, 100 packages hemp, 121 bags guano, 400 bags bone dust, 56 tons shale, 109 tons coal, and 15 packages sundries.

James Paterson (s.), for Maryborough: 14 packages tea, 2 horses, 15 cases vestas, 178 cases fruit, 74 bags potatoes, 4 anchors, 35 packages sundries, and a quantity of general merchandise for Melbourne.

Lord Ashley (s.), for Noumea: 13 packages wines and spirits, 55 packages tobacco, 23 packages tea, 617 bags rice, 25 boxes candles, 58 bags potatoes, 1-6 iron pots, 165 bags bran, 100 packages iron, 25 bags coke, 100 sheep, 1 buggy, and 760 packages sundries.

SHIPS' MAILS.

Mails will close at the General Post-office as follows:—

For Brisbane.—By the Egmont (s.), this day at 3 p.m.

For Brisbane Water.—By the Pelican (s.), this day, at 4.30 p.m.

For Noumea.—By the Noumea (s.), this day, at 6 p.m.

For Macleay River.—By the Ballina (s.), this day, at 8 p.m.

For Melbourne, Adelaide, Hobart Town, and Launceston.—By the Macedon (s.), on Tuesday, at 11 a.m.

For Brisbane and Northern Ports of Queensland, China, India, United Kingdom, and Continent of Europe.—By the E. and A. M. S. Singapore (s.), on Tuesday, at 3 p.m.

For Grafton.—By the Agnes Irving (s.), on Tuesday, at 8 p.m.; New England (s.), at 9 p.m.

NOTICE.—DISPATCH OF MAILS VIA TORRES STRAITS.

Mails will be made up at this office on Tuesday, the 13th instant per E. and A. M. S. Singapore, closing at 3 p.m., for Java, Singapore, Eastern Archipelago, India, China, the continent of Europe, and the United Kingdom.

Correspondence intended to be forwarded by this opportunity must be so indorsed, with the exception of that for India, China, and intermediate places, which will be forwarded by the Singapore, unless marked otherwise.

Late letters for the United Kingdom, via Brindisi only, will be received at the General Post Office up to 4 p.m. Late fee, 6d.

General Post Office, Sydney, 10th June, 1876.

Custom-House.—Entered Outwards, June 10: Egmont (s.), 456 tons, Captain Edmondson, for Brisbane; Andrew Reid, barque, 790 tons, Captain Hill, for London.

The Black Swan (s.) left Brisbane at 10.45 a.m. on the 7th instant; cleared the South Passage at 1.30 p.m.; passed Smoky Cape at 11.45 p.m. on the 8th, Port Stephens at 4 30 p.m. on the 9th, and entered Sydney Heads at 7 a.m. on the 10th. Experienced strong southerly and S.W. winds and heavy S.E. swell with fine weather throughout the passage.

The Somerset (s.) cleared Port Phillip Heads at 5.45 p.m. June 7, rounded Wilson's Promontory at 4.3 a.m. and passed Gabo Island at midnight 8th, Montagu Island at 8.10 a.m. on the 9th, entering Sydney Heads at 1.40 a.m. on the 10th instant. Experienced moderate winds from N.W. with occasional rain to 30 N.E. of the Promontory; from thence to Montagu Island S.W. winds with fine weather; from Montagu Island to Heads light westerly breezes and fine weather.

The P. and O. branch steamer Avoca left on Saturday, for Melbourne, shortly after noon, carrying the English mails to be transhipped to the Sumatra.

The Barrabool (s.) left Port Phillip Heads at 7 p.m. on Friday, 9th instant; passed Gabo at 10 p.m. on Saturday, and entered Sydney Heads at 10 p.m. on Sunday, the 11th. He experienced moderate favourable winds to Gabo, and light head wind from thence, with fine weather throughout.

The City of Adelaide (s.) left Sandridge on Thursday, the 8th instant, at 1.30 p.m., cleared Port Phillip Heads at 5 15 p.m., passed Wilson's Promontory at 1 a.m. on the 9th, Cape Howe at 4 p.m. same night, entered Port Jackson at 8 p.m. on the 10th, and arrived at the wharf at 8.45 p.m. Experienced fresh S. and S.W. winds to Cape Howe, thence light winds from south varying to west the remainder of the trip.

The Prima Donna, hence, arrived at the River St. Lawrence on the 9th instant.

The well-known ship Hawkesbury trading between England and this port, arrived yesterday morning, after an excellent passage of 84 days. On this voyage she is under the command of Captain Carvosso, late of the La Hogue, and of his passage he reports:—Left Gravesend March 19, and crossed the Equator April 12, in longitude 27 W. Had a most tedious passage of 30 days from the Line to the Cape, the S.E. trades having failed altogether. Passed the meridian of the Cape on May 1; from thence had a very fair run of winds with fine weather, with the exception of one gale. Sighted Cape Otway June 8, Gabo Island on the 9th, and entered the Heads at 7 a.m. on the 11th, making the passage in 84 days from Gravesend. During the passage Mr. Leete, a gentleman who was making the voyage for the benefit of his health, died of consumption and one birth occurred. There are two very valuable horses on board, one being the property of Sir Daniel Cooper, and the other belonging to Mr. Andrew Brown; both horses have arrived in splendid condition.

The Boomerang (s.) left Rockhampton at 8 45 a.m. on Wednesday, June 7th, passed Woody Island at 7 a.m., crossed Wide Bay bar at noon and passed Cape Moreton at 10 p.m. on Thursday. Smoky Cape at 1.45 a.m., Seal Rock Point at 4 40 p.m. on Saturday, entered Sydney Heads at 5.45 a.m., and arrived at the wharf at 6.45 a.m. on Sunday, June 11th. Experienced moderate to fresh southerly winds and fine clear weather, with head sea, throughout the passage.

The New England left Grafton on Friday 9th instant, at noon; crossed the Clarence bar on Saturday, the 10th instant, at 0.45 a.m.; arrived at Sydney 6.45 p.m., on the 11th. Experienced strong S.W. and W.S.W. winds to Port Stephens; latter part of the passage light W.N.W., with smooth sea. She brings 300 hides, 850 bags tin ore, 42 kegs honey, 72 casks tallow, 44 mats sugar, 7 casks treacle, 22 pigs, 80 bags wool, 4 coops fowl, 5 cases beeswax, 4 cases eggs, 8 bales skins, 12 bags oysters, 1000 bunches bananas, 1000 bags maize.

The Agnes Irving (s.) left Grafton at 4 a.m. on the 10th instant, crossed the bar at 1.15 p.m. same day, and entered Sydney Heads at 8 p.m. on the 11th instant. She experienced fresh southerly and south-westerly breezes, with fine clear weather, to Smoky Cape, thence light westerly airs. She brings up as cargo 1500 bags maize, 1300 bunches bananas, 83 hides, 19 cases eggs, 45 bags tin ore, 4 horses, and sundries.

The Fiona (s.) left Warrnambool on Wednesday, the 7th instant, at 9 p.m.; passed Wilson's Promontory on Thursday, at 8 p.m., Gabo Island at 2.15 p.m. on Friday, and arrived in Sydney at 4.45 p.m. on Saturday. Experienced N.E. winds and rain to the Otway; middle part, fresh S.W. winds; latter part, light west winds and fine weather.

The Boomerang (s.), reports having passed the Yaralla (s.), off Cape Byron, the schooner Heron sixteen miles south of Smoky Cape, and the James Paterson (s.), off Crowdy Head, all bound north.

Launch.—On Thursday evening, 8th instant, there was launched from the building yards of Messrs. Bower and Dease, ship builders, Pyrmont, a beautiful new schooner, which has been built by them, and intended for the intercolonial trade. She is built of colonial hardwood, decked with kauri pine, coppered and copper-fastened, and will carry 160 tons of general cargo on a draft of 7 feet 4 inches. As she moved off the stocks she was christened the "Mavis" by Mrs. Bower. This makes the eighth vessel built and launched by this enterprising firm, which includes the steamers Amy and Fitzroy. A large number of spectators were present to witness the launch. Messrs Gibson and Hall are the agents for the vessel.

Launch of a Steamer.—On Saturday a paddle wheel steamer which has been built by Messrs. Duncan and Thomas for Mr. James Laing, sen., was launched into the Murray, and named the Rob Roy by Miss Mary Taylor Laing, with the usual honours. The length of the steamer is 88 feet 6 inches upon the keel, 18 feet beam and 4 feet in depth of hold. Her draught of water is 1 foot forward and 4 inches aft. The build is of the Dutch class and the boat has a smart trim appearance, with a clean run fore and aft. She will be driven by a 5-horse power engine made by Messrs. Gainsborough, and imported by Messrs. Munroe, of Melbourne—the first of the kind fitted in a steamboat on the Murray but from their special adaptability for river boats they are likely to be generally adopted in the future.—*Riverine Herald*, June 6.

NEWCASTLE.

ARRIVALS.

June 9.—Akbar, American ship, Lamson, from Sydney.
June 9.—Edith Haviland, brig, Roddy, from Melbourne.
June 9.—Edwin Bassett, barque, Foster, from Wellington.
June 10.—Macedon (s.), Clark, from Sydney.
June 10.—Oinstee, American barque, Nickerson, from Sydney.
June 10.—Adeline Burke, barque, James, from Melbourne.
June 10.—Louisa, Danish schooner, Crickson, from Melbourne.
June 10.—Verulam, barque, Barneson, from Wallaroo, with copper ore.

DEPARTURES.

June 9.—Clara Hargraves, barque, Clark, for Melbourne, with 540 tons coal.
June 9.—Warwick Castle, ship, Warren, for Portland, with 1105 tons coal.
June 9.—Heron, schooner, Boyle, for Rockhampton, with 150 tons coal.
June 9.—Ansdell, barque, Barnes, for Nelson, with 225 tons coal.
June 9.—Hadda, barque, Parker, for Lyttelton, with 470 tons coal.
June 10.—Albert the Good, brig, Cairns, for Melbourne, with 500 tons coal.
June 10.—Ann, barque, Dyson, for Melbourne, with 491 tons coal.
June 10.—Sea Gull, barque, Gay, for Adelaide, with 534 tons coal.
June 10.—Madura, barque, Lloyd, for Melbourne, with 515 tons coal.
June 10.—Frances, barque, Hill, for Auckland, with 655 tons coal, 26 tons coke.
June 10.—Ocean Ranger, schooner, Priddle, for Hongkong, with 347 tons coal.
June 10.—Isabellas, brig, Friend, for Dunedin, with 450 tons coal.
June 10.—Aleandra, schooner, Gillespie, for Melbourne, with 300 tons coal.
June 10.—Queensland, barque, Greenwood, for Melbourne, with 464 tons coal.

COASTERS INWARDS.

June 10.—Colonist Duckenfield, from Sydney.
June 10.—Alfred Edward, and Agnes, from Lake Macquarie, with 36,000 feet timber.

BRISBANE.

CLEARANCE.

June 6.—Ariolo, schooner, 169, Scott, for Sydney. Cargo: 95,330 feet timber.

MELBOURNE.

ARRIVALS.

June 6.—Sumatra (s.), from Galle; Hero (s.), City of Adelaide (s.), from Sydney; Merksworth (s.), from Wollongong; Rachael Cohen, from Newcastle.

June 7.—Figaro, from Bourbon; Sea Nymph, Rachael Cohen, from Newcastle; Eagle (s.), from Wollongong.

A very pleasant time seems to have been spent on board the R.M.S.S. Sumatra on her voyage hence to Galle, as appears from the following particulars furnished us:—The passage was marked by an extraordinary continuance of light winds and fine weather, the ocean for the entire distance of 333 miles being uniformly smooth. Galle was reached at 4 p.m. on April 14, nearly two days in advance of contract date, and mails, passengers, &c., were transferred to the Company's s. s. Mirzapore, which left on April 14. Quite a round of amusements was kept up in the Sumatra, and they did much to relieve the monotony of the trip. Due advantage was taken of the fine weather, and concerts, dancing, theatrical exhibitions, &c., followed in rapid succession, and all culminated in a ball and supper, which took place on the evening of April 10. On this occasion the sum of £40 was subscribed for the funds of the Merchant Seamen's Orphan Asylum at Snaresbrook, Essex, with which excellent institution the officers of the P. and O. Company particularly identify themselves. Before arrival at Galle a highly congratulatory address, signed by all the passengers, was presented to Captain Almond, complimenting him and the officers of the ship upon the general discipline and good order on board, also upon the excellent table kept, and upon the strong desire manifested to contribute in every way to the comfort and amusement of those for the time being under their care. Mutual regrets were expressed on both sides at parting, and wishes were also indulged in that the return trip to the colonies might be made in the good ship Sumatra, and under the same able auspices. It has been stated that the employment of vessels of the Sumatra class has entirely done away with what has been a considerable element of discomfort to passengers on the Galle and Melbourne voyage, namely, the transfer of coals from the hold to the bunkers. In the smaller class of steamers this was inevitable, as the bunkers could only contain a limited portion of the fuel required for the long run between Galle and the Sound, the remainder being carried in the hold and hoisted thence over all as required, and thrown down the shoots, to the anything but agreeable music of the steam-winch. This unpleasantness would be experienced from sunrise to sunset for several days, and necessitated living in an atmosphere of coal dust, which penetrated every hole and corner, irritating eyes, ears, and lungs, and proving detrimental to ladies' habiliments and gentlemen's tempers. The Sumatra carries ample store of fuel in her bunkers and reserves for the entire trip from Galle to Melbourne, and does not require to replenish at the Sound. The comfort of the voyage is thus much enhanced by the absence of coal dust and the noise attendant on the shifting of the coal.—*Argus*, June 7.

ADELAIDE.

ARRIVALS.

June 5.—Exonia, Waverley, from Newcastle.

DEPARTURES.

June 5.—Southern Cross, for Rockhampton; Peri, for London.

WRECK OF THE STEPHANO AND LOSS OF FIFTEEN LIVES.

(*From the West Australian Times, May 16.*)

The cutter Jessie, 23 tons, Tuckey master, arrived at Fremantle on the 5th May, from the pearling ground bringing news of the wreck of the barque Stephano, 575 tons register, Captain Biagio Milosiavich, an Austrian vessel, built in 1874, belonging to Fiume, bound from Cardiff to Hongkong with coal. The only two survivors were picked up by the Jessie, about eighty miles south of the North-west Cape. One is named Giovanni Jurich, 21 years of age, and the other Michale Baccich, aged 17 years. The latter was a midshipman, and related to the captain of the Stephano. He is a well-informed youth, who, by the aid of Mr. John Vincent, master as interpreter, gave the following particulars:—The Stephano's crew numbered seventeen, including the captain and an English boy named Henry Grosse. The vessel struck the reef about eight miles south of the North-west Cape at 2 p.m., 27th October, 1875. The land had been seen the day before. It was very dark at the time of the wreck. The vessel was steering by her compass north by east, and at the time she struck was going at the rate of twelve knots an hour; some of her studding sails were set; she lasted about two hours on the reef, and then turned bottom upwards and broke up; some of the wreck floated ashore. The boats were attempted to be lowered, but they were either dashed to pieces or capsized. The English boy was in one of these, and also the captain, who perished with five others, including one afterwards found dead on the beach. Ten of the crew reached the shore alive, eight on pieces of timber and two on the keel of a boat; at first they only mustered nine. They existed three days on whatever they could pick up from the wreck. During this time the natives came and showed them some water, and gave them fish, and handed the mate of the Stephano, who was one of the number alive at that time, a portion of a chart they had picked up belonging to the vessel; by the aid of this the crew started for the Gascoyne, and after proceeding twenty miles they met another of the crew, who was supposed to have been carried south by the current. He had hidden himself for several days in the bush and satisfied his hunger with wild flowers. He was the first man who died; his death took place on Christmas morning, and another died in the evening of the same day. The whole of the number managed to reach Cape Cuvier, and not finding water, they all returned to the well shown them by the natives. Here they remained for full a month without seeing any natives, and eating nothing but raw shellfish, when one day another lot of blacks made their appearance; but they were not so generous as the first. Their women refused to give any fish away, and the black party very soon left; they did not threaten or offer any violence. Several other parties of natives came afterwards; some were kinder than others. Towards the end of February the number of the crew had been gradually reduced to four; two of these soon after died. Six of the poor fellows were buried; but at the death of the last two, the survivors were too weak to bury them, and the natives, who had returned were very frightened of the bodies, and would not go near them. Soon after this the natives left, taking Baccich and Jurich with them. They were too weak to walk, and the men and women took it in turns to carry them, wandering from one place to another. On one occasion they came across quite a hundred native men and women in one party, who, though they seemed to inquire about them, did not attempt any violence. By degrees the party who had taken charge of the two young fellows became quite attached to them and tried to cheer them up in various ways, sometimes by patting them on the back and playing with them, and on other occasions by saying, "White fellar Charley Tuckey come soon now, and take you Tien Tsin." At the time, Baccich said he could not understand what was meant by "Charley Tuckey."

The surviving men were rescued by Mr. Tuckey on April 18.

(BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.)
MELBOURNE.
ARRIVAL.
June 9.—Wentworth (s.), from Sydney.
DEPARTURE.
June 10.—Queen Emma, for Newcastle.

SYDNEY HEADS.

DATE.	TIME.	WIND.	REMARKS.
June 10.	8.30 a.m.	W.	Light.
	Noon.	W.	Ditto.
	5 p.m.	W.	Ditto.
June 11.	9 a.m.	W.	Light.
	Noon.	W.	Ditto.
	5 p.m.	W.	Ditto.

HIGH WATER AT FORT DENISON.
June 11.—11.23 a.m., 11.41 p.m.

WINDS AND WEATHER.—JUNE 10.

QUEENSLAND.—9 A.M.

Normanton—SE. Fine
Gilbert Town—SE. Fine
Etheridge—SE. Fine
Cardwell—Calm. Fine
Townsville—Calm. Fine
Bowen—SW. Fine
Mackay—SE. Fine
Copperfield—SE. Fine
Clermont—SE. Fine
Gladstone—SE. Fine
Rockhampton—Calm. Fine
Maryborough—Calm. Fine
Roma—Calm. Fine
Taroom—SS. Fine
Cape Moreton—S. Fine
Brisbane—SW. Fine
Toowoomba—Calm. Fine
Warwick—SE. Fine, frosty
Stanthorpe Calm, cloudy
Goondiwindi—W., hard frost
Nebo—Calm. Fine
Tambo—Calm. Fine
St. George—Calm. Fine

N. S. WALES.	9 A.M.	3 P.M.
Tenterfield	Calm. Fine	W. Fine
Casino	Calm. Fine	NW. Fine
Ballina	W. Fine	S. Fine, bar heavy
Grafton	W. Fine	SW. Fine, clear
Glen Innes	SW. Cold	Calm. Fine, cold
Inverell	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Warialda	Calm. Frosty	Calm. Fine
Bundarra	Calm. Fine	Calm. Warm
Port Macquarie	SW. Fine, sea mod.	NW., strong, sea mod.
West Kempsey	W. Fine	NE., strong
Armidale	W. Fine	W. Fine
Tamworth	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Gunnedah	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Bog a ri	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Narrabri	Calm. Frosty	Calm. Fine
Wee Waa	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Pilliga	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Walgett	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Brewarrina	NE. Fine	NE. Fine
Bourke	SE. Fine	SW. Fine
Muswellbrook	N. Frosty	W. Fine
Murrurundi	Calm. Frosty	Calm. Fine
Singleton	W. Fine	Calm. Fine
Maitland	Calm. Fine, cold	W. Fine
Taree	W. Fine	W. Fine
Port Stephens	NW., fresh. Fine	SW. Fine, sea smooth
Newcastle	SW. Fine, mod. sea	W. Fine, sea smooth
Barrenjoey	SW. Fine, sea rough	Calm. Cloudy
Windsor	Calm. Foggy	Calm. Fine
Sydney	WNW. Fine	SW., clear, fine
South Head	SW. Fine	SW., light, fine
Wollongong	W. Fine	SW., light, fine
Kiama	S. Fine, little sea	SW., light, fine
Ulladulla	SW. Fine, sea smooth	S., light Fine
Jervis Bay	S., fresh. Fine	S., light. Fine
Goulburn	N. Like rain	Calm. Fine
Braidwood	Calm. Fine, cold	Calm. Fine
Araluen	Calm. Frosty	Calm. Fine
Moruya	SE. Fine	NE. Fine, sea smooth
Queanbeyan	SSE. Cold, heavy fog	Calm. Fine
Bombala	SW. Dull	SW. Fine
Cooma	NW. Dull	NW. Fine
Bega	Calm. Fine	SW. Fine
Eden	SW. Fine	SW. Fine
Gabo Island	WSW. Thick rain	SW., light. Fine
Yass	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Gundagai	Calm. Fine	Calm. Dull
Tumut	Calm. Fine	W. Like rain
Kiandra	Calm. Fine	Calm. Cloudy
Albury	Calm. Foggy	Calm. Fine
Mount Victoria	Calm. Fine	NW. Fine
Bathurst	SSE. Frosty	WNW. Fine
Carcoar	Calm. Frosty	W. Fine, clear
Hill End	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Mudgee	Calm. Frosty	Calm. Fine
Gulgong	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Cassilis	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Merriwa	Calm. Frosty	Calm. Fine
Coolah	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Coonabarabran	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Coonamble	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Wellington	Calm. Foggy	Calm. Fine
Dubbo	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Orange	Calm. Frosty	Calm. Fine
Forbes	Calm. Frosty	Calm. Fine
Parkes	Calm. Frosty	Calm. Fine
Grenfell	Calm. Fine	Calm. Cloudy
Young	NE. Fine	Calm. Fine
Wagga Wagga	Calm. Heavy fog	Calm. Dull
Urana	W. Fog	SE. Fine, clear
Deniliquin	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Hay	Calm. Frosty	Calm. Fine
Moulamein	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Balranald	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Euston	Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Wentworth	E. Fine	E., light. Fine

VICTORIA.		Bar.	Ther.
Melbourne	SW. Fine, dull	30·361	50·
Queenscliff	W. Misty, fine	30·355	53·
Cape Schanck	W. Overcast, hazy	29·95	50·
Cape Otway	WNW. overcast, dull	30·110	50·
Portland	NNW. overcast, dull	30·376	55·
Port Albert	W. Cloudy, fine	30·311	54·
TASMANIA.			
Hobart Town	NW. Fine, dull	30·00	53·
Low Heads	E. Foggy	30·34	52·
SOUTH AUSTRALIA.			
Guichen Bay	NW. Fine	30·264	46·8
Adelaide	Calm. Fine	30·315	53·5
M'Donnell Bay	NW. Fine		
Peake	ENE., overcast		54·
Alice Springs	Calm. Fine		
Daly Waters	SE. Cloudy		
Port Darwin	SE. Fine	29·785	73·0
Beltana	NE. Fine		

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, SYDNEY.

Latitude, 33° 51' 4"; Longitude, 10h. 4m. 46s.
Magnetic variation, 9° 52' 5" East. 2nd January, 1876.

The time ball is dropped daily (Sundays excepted) at 1h. p.m Sydney mean time, or 2h. 5m. 14s. a.m., Greenwich mean time.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

Velocity of wind measured in miles per hour, and the force in lbs. on the square foot deduced from velocity.

Barometers corrected to 32° Faht., and to mean sea level.

Rainfall and evaporation measured in inches.

Scales of { Humidity, 0 to 100. Cloudy sky, 0 to 10. Ozone, 0 to 10.

JUNE 9, 1876. CIVIL RECKONING.

Hour.	Barometer.	Temperature in shade.	Humidity.	Wind Direction.	Wind Velocity	Wind Force.	Cloudy sky.	Rain.	Ozone.
A.M. 9	30·158	49·5	79	WNW.	0	0·5	1	0·00	6·5
P.M. 3	·41	59·4	61	SSW.	14	0·7	1		
P.M. 9	·201	51·9	89	W.	2	0·0	1		9·5
Mean ...	30·177	54·6	76·3		8	0·4	1·0		8·0

Evaporation in 24 hours, 0·073.

SELF-REGISTERING THERMOMETERS.

Shade { Maximum ... 60·2 | Sun—maximum ... 93·9
Shade { Minimum ... 47·2 | Grass—minimum ... 41·4

Thermometer with black bulb in black wool, and protected from wind, maximum, 115·6.

Temperature of sea water, 3 feet below the surface, at Fort Denison, at 9 a.m., —.

Total rainfall from January 1 to June 10, 21·740 inches.

Average rainfall of previous 17 years, for period January 1 to June 1, 25·877 inches.

Average annual rainfall of the preceding 17 years, 52·015 inches.

METEOROLOGICAL STATIONS.

Arranged in order of latitude, with distance from the coast, and height above sea, where it is known.

Only fourteen of the stations have barometers and hygrometers.

Station.	Least distance from East coast in miles.	Height above sea in feet.	At 9 A.M.—June 10, 1876. Barometer.	Temperature in shade.	Humidity.	Wind Direction.	Wind Force.	For 24 hours previous to 9 a.m. Maximum Temp.	Minimum Temp.	Rain in inches
Tenterfield	80	—	—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	59·	29·8	0
Grafton	22	—	—	—	—	W.	1·0	74·7	35·2	0
Inverell	124	—	—	41·1	87	Calm.	0·0	56·6	24·4	0
Bourke	393	—	—	—	—	SE.	1·0	65·9	39·7	0
Narrabri	190	—	—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	65·2	38·1	0
Armidale	80	3278	30·143	34·2	65	W	1·0	54·4	33·9	0
Tamworth	114	1271	—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	57·5	28·7	0
P. Macq'rie	1	53	30·193	58·0	—	SW.	1·0	53·7	46·1	0
Murrurundi	91	1545	—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	54·7	35·5	0
Cassilis	120	—	—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	55·5	31·2	0
Muswellb'k	68	475	—	—	—	N	1·0	54·9	33·6	0
Dubbo	182	—	—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	73·5	33·9	0
W. Maitland	18	—	—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	59·2	38·4	0
Newcastle	1	112	30·287	52·7	65	WNW.	0·4	60·6	45·3	0
Orange	124	2801	—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	4·9	32·0	0
Bathurst	96	2200	30·315	31·8	97	SSE	1·0	59·2	22·0	0
Mt. Victoria	61	3490	30·144	39·9	82	Calm.	0·0	49·6	31·4	0
Forbes	176	—	[illegible]	46·0	—	Calm.	0·0	54·2	31·1	0
Sydney	—	155	30·275	49·0	80	WNW.	0·6	60·2	46·8	0
Young	140	—	—	—	—	NE.	1·0	51·5	39·1	0
Wollongong	0	—	—	—	—	W.	—	60·6	49·0	0
Goulburn	51	2129	30·361	40·0	91	N.	1·0	56·0	[illegible]	0
Wagga	161	—	—	—	—	Calm.	0·0	50·9	31·9	0
C. St. Ge'ge	0	170	30·289	53·6	68	S.	4·0	58·1	47·6	0·02
Queanbeyan	60	—	—	—	—	SW.	1·0	53·7	[illegible]	0
Bodalla	—	—	—	—	—	SW.	1·0	65·4	30·2	0
Deniliquin	287	410	30·335	39·2	100	Calm.	0·0	59·0	31·0	0
Cooma	52	2637	30·367	42·2	81	NW.	1·0	57·6	25·8	0
Albury	175	572	30·273	40·1	94	Calm.	0·0	55·2	31·1	0
Eden	0	107	30·225	54·7	76	SW.	1·0	60·0	47·1	0
Gabo Island	—	—	—	—	—	WSW.	16·0	—	—	0·06

Raining at Gabo Island. Frosty at Narrabri, Murrurundi, Muswellbrook, Orange, Bathurst, Mount Victoria, Queanbeyan and Bodalla. Foggy at Forbes, Young, Wagga Wagga, and Albury.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDUM FOR JUNE 12, 1876.

Object	Rises	Sets	Phases of the Moon.	
	h.m	h m	June.	
Sun	7.4	4.55		
Moon	9.28 p.m.	10.47 a.m.	Full moon	7th
Mercury	7.31 a m	5.49 p m	Last quarter	15th
Venus	9.9 a m	7.38 p m	New moon	21st
Mars	8.37 a m	6.11 p m	First quarter	28th
Jupiter	3.1 p m	4.53 a m	Moon's age, 19.5 days.	
Saturn	10.59 p m	11 41 a m		

Moon.—Apogee, 6th; G. S. Declination 5th; in Equator, 13th; G. N. Declination, 19th; in Equator, 29th; in Perigee, 18th.
H. C. Russell, Government Astronomer.

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EXPORT OF COAL FROM NEWCASTLE.

The following is the abstract of the out-put of coal for the week ending June 9, as compiled from the weekly returns of the various Companies:—

Port of Shipment.	A. A. Co.	Wallsend.	Waratah.	Co-operative Co.	Lambton.	New Lambton.	Anvil Creek.	J. and A. Brown.
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
Sydney	647	[illegible]	309	1010	758	534	579	693
Clarence River	...	...	44	...	...	...	168	...
Geelong	...	...	100	...	413	...	...	...
Melbourne	3472	1185	...	674	1055	305	...	...
New Zealand	450	228	247	1299	677	...	...	995
Queensland	301	...	...	...	...	263	...	...
Port Albert	168	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Adelaide	...	...	39	376	588	...	...	532
San Francisco	...	1661	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oregon	...	1305	...	...	...	...	...	...
China	...	...	251	...	...	...	...	1425
Hongkong	...	...	...	347	...	...	...	...
Honolulu	...	...	...	...	...	258	...	...
Steamers	26	...	240	...	...	...	201	142
Home consumption	236	...	579	...	...	180	...	...
Totals	5900	4531	1809	3647	4091	1541	918	3784

Coke.—88 tons were shipped from the Co-operative Colliery.

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WILLIAM NEILL, Manager.
Sydney, June 8th 1876.

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Telegraph Line Between Orange and Wellington.—The line connecting Orange and Wellington, via Molong, was completed at noon on the 6th instant (says the *Wellington Gazette*), when several townsmen met at the telegraph office and congratulated Mr. Wright upon the successful completion of the contract in the quickest time, for the distance, on record. It was stated that the posts erected were throughout of the most substantial nature, and that some of them might be called trees. This connecting line will be a great saving of time to the inhabitants of the North-west, as hitherto all telegrams have gone by Mudgee and Tambaroora, and the business upon the one line has sometimes been very great.

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MONDAY, JUNE 12, 1876.

The question of reserves from sale under the Land Acts is well worthy of discussion in Parliament, and Mr. M'Elhone appears to have devoted himself to the task of getting it discussed, whether "in season or out of season." He hopes to see the day when every reserve in the colony will be cancelled; but if that hope is ever to be fulfilled, it will hardly be whilst free selection before survey is permitted from one end of the colony to the other. If Mr. M'Elhone's words are to have their full meaning attached to them, it is not only the squatters' reserves that will have to be cancelled, but the reservation of gold-fields and of land within population boundaries also. In theory at least all these reservations rest upon the same foundation. It is for the public interest that free-selection should be prohibited within certain areas in each case. Whether it be to preserve the value of pastoral runs undiminished for leasing purposes, to prevent the alienation of auriferous lands, or to provide scope for the extension of villages and townships, the principle is, that the reserves from sale are made, or that free selection is prohibited, not for the benefit of parties who may be immediately interested, but for the protection of the permanent interests of the community. This principle is not affected by the fact that private interests for the time being and the permanent interests of the public may coincide. It may be for the benefit of a squatter that the water holes upon which the pastoral value of his run depends should be reserved from sale, but it is none the less for the public interest that the permanent leasing value of the run should be preserved from destruction by the same process. The country does not obtain in the shape of rental all that it ought to obtain, and under a better system might obtain from the squatters. But to cancel the reserves would be a certain step towards the reduction of even the present inadequate returns. Whilst pastoral occupation and conditional purchase are allowed to run side by side, the system of reserves must be maintained as a protection to the pastoral revenue. The soundness of the principle is not affected by the fact that it has been abused. No one can doubt that it has been abused. When Mr. M'Elhone gets upon the subject of reserves there is seldom much reserve in his denunciation of the system. But where there is smoke there is fire; and the blindest optimist would hardly doubt that these sweeping statements and charges have at least a sub-stratum of truth to rest upon. Everybody knows that free selection itself, the squatter's bane, has been worked by the squatters so as to be its own antidote, and a great deal more besides. And when it is seen how capable is the system of reserves of being worked in like manner for the peculiar advantage of the squatter, it is not in human nature to suppose that the opportunity has been neglected. Mr. Fitzpatrick admits it, and he should know something about the matter. Mr. Garrett admits it, and says that the Government is considering in what way the latest developed form of abuse may be checked. But the fact that abuses have arisen does not prove that the principle of reserves is bad in itself, or that it should be expunged from the land law. It only gives another illustration of the difficulties inseparable from the working of the general land system, of which the reservation of certain areas from sale forms an essential part.

Mr. Robertson was "exceedingly amused" the other night, because Mr. Piddington so strongly supported the motion for the cancellation of the Yanko Reserve. He remembered how in 1861 "the hon. member was one of those who battled night after night to hold the free-selectors within what was called agricultural areas." Mr. Piddington has a very good defence against the implied charge of inconsistency, and is quite able to answer for himself if he thinks proper. We only refer to Mr. Robertson's remark because it points out the key to the whole problem. If the selectors had been held within "agricultural areas" or at any rate within areas, whether agricultural or pastoral or of mixed character specially set apart for free selection, the necessity for these reserves would not have arisen. Mr. Robertson in those days strenuously and successfully opposed the idea of confining selection within specified areas. One of the chief arguments used against it was that the marking out of those areas would either give scope to corruption, or at least create the suspicion that corruption had been practised. What has been the result? As the policy of the land law is not to set apart particular areas in the pastoral districts for sale it has become necessary to reserve particular areas in those districts from sale; and we now see in fact what should have been foreseen from the beginning, that as thick a cloud of suspicion and as rank a growth of accusations and complaints have been created in following out the latter process, as ever could have been the accompaniments of the former. Mr. M'Elhone does not speak for himself only. He occupies the happy position of a funnel to pour into the ear of the House streams of bitter complaint and suspicion that flow in from all parts of the country. We do not commit ourselves to implicit faith in the accuracy of all these charges; but it is not too much to say that they afford at least a glimpse of the possibilities of the case. They serve to show to how great a strain the integrity of Lands Ministers and officials under them might be subjected under the present system, which was adopted because it was supposed to leave no room for anything of that sort.

As to the Yanko Reserve, that stands upon a very different foundation from the ordinary reserves for the preservation of water supply or access to water. The land was not reserved from sale in order that the natural advantages it contained might be preserved from being monopolised, to the destruction of the rental value of the surrounding country. The reservation was granted as a bonus to private individuals, who by the outlay of capital, had made a large tract of otherwise useless country available for occupation. It is to be considered, therefore, in the light of a payment for services rendered. And as the value of those services can easily be estimated by experts, it cannot be a matter of very great difficulty to ascertain whether the lessees have not in their ten years undisturbed possession of the reserve received at least a fair equivalent. Even Mr. Robertson and Mr. Garrett appear to have but little doubt upon that score. But then comes the question,—if the reserve is to be cancelled how is the land to be disposed of? It is said by some to be worth from £2 to £3 per acre; and yet alarm is felt at the idea of putting it up to auction by means of which it might possibly bring something like its fair value, and there seems to be a desire that it should in some way be reserved for the free selectors who would only pay £1 per acre for it on terms of extended credit. But how is this to be effected? The idea of marking out "agricultural areas" has been rejected with contempt. The land cannot, therefore, be reserved for free-selection. If it be really of the high value attributed to it, the duty of the Government is to deal with it in such a manner as to secure the best possible price for all of it that is not taken up by free selection, when the reserve is cancelled.

We have already referred to the crisis in Queensland. Our readers will have observed that South Australia has added another to the list of Ministerial changes. These events appear sometimes to be considered of comparatively small importance in that colony, and outside its limits are usually regarded with but little interest. In the present instance, however, the overthrow of the Government means something more than the retirement of half-a-dozen men and the substitution of as many others. It involves a check, to say the least, to the adventurous policy to which, under the guidance of the late Premier, the country had committed itself.

Mr. Boucaut, struck possibly with the idea that if New Zealand could be "precipitated into a nation," South Australia could be dealt with in the same manner, announced some time ago a grand programme of legislation, including railways and other public works for the advancement of the colony, and also the introduction of large numbers of immigrants from Europe. His policy was favourably, if not, indeed, eagerly received by the public, and, but for the opposition of the Legislative Council, to an essential part of his scheme, he would have been able to carry his views into effect. Not daunted, however, by the obstruction offered by the Upper House, Mr. Boucaut, shortly before the opening of the present session of Parliament, reannounced his policy at a political banquet in a country district. He said that the Ministry had a great country before them, and that they wished to govern it as a great country. Having in view the attempt to settle the Northern Territory, and the construction of the trans-Continental telegraph, no one can say that the affairs of the colony have been managed altogether on parochial principles hitherto; but the late Premier appears to have become convinced that, considering the great resources of the country, it was not being made the most of, and to have determined to introduce the necessary vigour into its legislation. With perhaps somewhat over-fervid enthusiasm he, on the occasion mentioned, compared the colony "to fertile Belgium." It may, perhaps, be said that the climate of Belgium is not quite like that of South Australia, and that the hydrographical advantages of the little spade-cultivated European kingdom have no very exact counterpart in the Australian colony. There are, however, no doubt, points of resemblance between the two countries, though they may have hitherto escaped the notice of ordinary observers. However this may be, Mr. Boucaut appears to be convinced that, with its wide extent of wheat-growing country, its mineral wealth, and the facilities offered by the river Murray for securing the Riverina trade, it only requires a vigorous prosecution of the necessary public works, and a rapid introduction of population, to enable the colony to take its proper position amongst its neighbours. The main features of the measures which he wished the Parliament to agree to were the connection of Port Adelaide with the Murray, so as to secure not only the Darling, or even the Darling and the Murrumbidgee trade, but nothing less than the Murray trade: the development of the agricultural and mineral resources of the colony by the construction of railways; and the increase of the population by immigration, to the extent, he seems to have thought possible, of not less than 100,000 in four or five years. Beyond this there was to be the introduction of Stamp Duties, and a tax on property, and further, a bill for the revision of the tariff, "with a view of removing restrictions on commerce generally, and encouraging trade with the neighbouring colonies, especially with the vast districts of Riverina." In the Governor's speech at the opening of Parliament, it was mentioned that the surveys of some of the proposed lines of railway were so far advanced as to enable the works to be commenced as soon as the necessary sanction had been obtained from the Legislature.

Had the late Premier been able to meet the Parliament with the same colleagues that he had with him during the previous session, there does not appear to be any reason to doubt that the House of Assembly would have passed his measures without material alteration. Unfortunately, however, for the success of his scheme, the Ministry had to be reconstructed during the recess in consequence of the elevation of the Attorney-General to the Chief Justiceship and the subsequent retirement of two other members of the Government. In the reconstitution of the Administration, Mr. Boucaut probably did his best under the circumstances, but the result was not a happy one. The position taken by some of his new colleagues with reference to his policy, when it was first brought forward was, it would seem, not considered such as to entitle them to sit by his side afterwards to help in carrying that policy out. The representative of the Government in the Council, Mr. Everard, Minister of Education, who is somewhat trenchant in his style when in opposition, was reminded by Sir Henry Ayers, at the earliest opportunity after the opening of Parliament, that he had denounced Mr. Boucaut's railways as ruinous to the country, and ridiculed the PREMIER himself, as a person who would make lines to the moon. More than this, he had also opposed the Stamps Bill. Mr. EVERARD defended himself as he best could against this attack. He claimed that, before joining the Ministry, he had obtained a concession with regard to the Stamps Bill, and that the railway policy of the Government would now be submitted to the Council in separate measures, so that each line might be discussed by itself, instead of all being included in one bill. Moreover, the people had declared, through their representatives in the popular House, their approval of a progressive public works policy, and it was of course not for him to offer factious opposition to the wishes of the country. Such a defence as this, however sincere, is always open to suspicion. The reconciliation of political opponents is an edifying spectacle, but when it happens in such manner as to bring place and power to the reconciled, its genuineness may be deemed questionable. According to a remark of the late Sir GEORGE CORNEWALL LEWIS the first, second, and third qualifications for an English statesman were intelligibility, integrity, and public spirit, which he said, would fail to command confidence if the course adopted was intricate and inexplicable. Whether impressed with such considerations as these or not, the House of Assembly was not prepared to condone the disregard of political consistency displayed in the formation of the Ministry, and took the earliest possible opportunity of overthrowing "this monstrous and unnatural coalition."

It remains now to be seen how the South Australian Legislature will deal with the scheme of the late Premier. In the present state of public opinion in the colony, probably no Ministry would have much chance of standing that did not avow a readiness to carry out that scheme at least in its principal features. It is one thing, however, to adopt another man's ideas under the pressure of public opinion, and a very different thing to press forward measures with the enthusiasm of an originator.

AN item in the telegram which we published on Monday last announced that the SULTAN'S Grand Vizier, MAHOMMED PACHA, has been dismissed from his post. The relation of a Turkish Grand Vizier to the SULTAN is a similar one to that sustained by an English Prime Minister to the QUEEN, or a colonial Premier to the GOVERNOR. While the latter, however, has to fulfil very important functions in the administration of government, the sphere of the former is nominally of a much more limited character. The fact is that the business of a Grand Vizier is simply that of humouring the SULTAN'S caprices, and of keeping the SULTAN'S exchequer constantly filled. A recent communication from the *Times'* correspondent furnishes us with some amusing particulars regarding the relation between a Grand Vizier and the SULTAN:—"The present SULTAN," it says, "seems equally to think that all the land, the life, and freedom of the people of his empire are things to be disposed of by him at his own pleasure as his absolute and indisputable private property. Some glimpse of an idea that he has duties to his subjects, that the administration of justice and the promotion of the common welfare does indeed now and then abstractedly shine through his benighted understanding. The fault, perhaps, lies not in his own instincts or intentions, but he takes it for granted that for good or evil he alone should be free to act—all power should be centered in his own hand—he alone should have a will. It is not that he deems himself capable, or that he would be at the trouble of governing. Has he not got a Grand Vizier? Where would be the wisdom of keeping a dog and barking himself? And when he hears that the Imperial Treasury is exhausted, and the Civil List is in arrears, he considers, what is the use of a blockhead of a Finance Minister if he knows not where to find money? The SULTAN'S scheme of government consists in bidding his Grand Vizier to govern in his name. His deputy draws up a firman or irade, addressed to himself—'*A toi mon Vizir!*'—signed by himself, and laid for approval before the Sovereign, the first and foremost title to whose favour is never to plague him about business. The decree that is to go forth in the SULTAN'S name is presented but not read, and seldom explained at any length to his Majesty, whose mere nod is accepted as his approval and sanction without any further need of seal or signature. It was the present Grand Vizier who was at the greatest pains to impress his Sovereign with the notion of his unbounded power, insuring thus for his own benefit the vicarious omnipotence for the exercise of which he is responsible to the monarch alone—a monarch who when dissatisfied with his minister will not now send him a bow-string or a cup of coffee, which disposed of unprofitable servants in the good old times, but will simply intimate to him that the light of the Padishah's countenance is withdrawn from him, and that he must make room for a successor. The main condition on which a Grand Vizier, or any other Minister, can rely for his tenure of office is that the Sultan's will is not to be disputed. No argument or remonstrance, no explanation or even apology, is ever to be ventured upon with him. No observation consequently must be made, and, above all, on the master's extravagance or self-indulgence." Such are the relations between the Prime Minister and the Sultan of Turkey. If the Premiers throughout the British dominions were to hold office on similar terms, the positions of our rulers might offer many agreeable attractions which they do not now possess; but the opposite would have to be said of the burdens of the people. What wonder that, with a Government like this, the condition of Turkey should be such as it is!

SUPREME COURT.—Business This Day.—Term List.—New Trial Motions, &c.: Dunn v. Australasian Steam Navigation Co., Brown v. Lethbridge, Parr and another v. Ash, Sandeman v. M'Donald. Master's Office: At 10.30 a.m.: Maddock and others v. Barnett, to settle bond; re York, a person, &c., to tax costs of Crown Solicitor. At 11 a.m.: Lloyd and another v. Vickery and another, adjourned defendant Vickery's evidence.

DISTRICT COURT.—Cause List for Monday, 12th June.—Jury Causes: Nelson v. Etherington, Davis v. Humphery. Causes: Cohen v. Gee, Potts and another v. Thompson.

BOAT RACE.—A race, in light skiffs, between Solomon and Pearce, for £25 a side, took place on Saturday, over the Champion Course on the Parramatta River. The steamers Victoria, Agenoria, and Our Queen, crowded with passengers, followed the race, which proved an easy victory for Solomon, who took the lead at the start and won as he liked. At the mile-point Pearce put on a spurt, but Solomon was equal to the occasion, retaining a safe lead to the finish.

THE HUNT CLUB.—The Sydney Hunt Club met at Campbelltown, on Saturday afternoon, and had a most enjoyable run of about seven miles. Though some stiff fences had to be negotiated, the field were all well up at the finish, and no accident occurred, with the exception of the second whip receiving a nasty fall through being run against a sapling; fortunately, though much shaken, he was not seriously injured, and was able to return home.

THE MERCANTILE ROWING CLUB.—On Saturday afternoon last, between thirty and forty members of the Mercantile Rowing Club had a rendezvous at Chowder Bay, where they arrived at about half-past 2 o'clock. Soon after landing quoits and football were in request, and the games were kept up with great spirit until time was called at 4 o'clock. The boats were then manned, and the members returned home after having spent a most agreeable afternoon.

SUICIDE. — Yesterday evening Captain Stewart, well known in marine circles, committed suicide, at his lodgings in Prince-street. At about six o'clock he went into the room where tea was laid out, and just before the lodgers sat down he seized the bread-knife and cut his throat; the wound was not immediately fatal, but he died in about two hours afterwards.

THE BROKEN CABLE.—Our readers are aware that a few days ago an application was made for the service of the cable ship Edinburgh, now lying in harbour, to proceed to Port Darwin to render assistance in fishing up the broken wire and that the request has been acceded to. In a few days the vessel will be ready to proceed to sea. At about 10 o'clock on Wednesday morning last she was taken to the Government Fitzroy Dock at Cockatoo, where she has received a thorough overhaul, and such alterations have been made as to render her in every way suitable for the expedition on which she is shortly to start. The Edinburgh is to be commence coaling as soon as possible. It is hoped that her bunkers will have received their full complement by midnight on Tuesday, and that she will be ready to take her departure for Port Darwin early on Wednesday morning. She will be commanded by Captain Sims, and will take, in addition to her own officers and men, Mr. W. Grigor Taylor, who is at present managing for the Cable Company at Sydney. During his absence, Mr. C. J. Davidson will officiate as acting manager. If the Edinburgh should leave on Wednesday next she will, in all probability, reach Port Darwin in sixteen or seventeen days, so that with a fair passage we may hope to hear of her safe arrival on or about the first of next month. She will leave here replete with all the instruments and apparatus in modern use for the picking up of broken cables, but as some doubt appears to exist as to the exact distance from the shore, the Edinburgh will call at Port Darwin, where a party of electricians are to land to test the wire. It is surmised the rupture is about thirty miles from the shore end. The Government have kindly placed the Fitzroy dock at the disposal of the company, and have rendered every assistance in their power to expedite the departure of the vessel, so that credit is due both to the Cable Company and to our Government for the celerity with which the necessary preparations have been executed. It may not perhaps be out of place to mention here that the Port Darwin cable belongs to the same company as the New South Wales and New Zealand, viz., the Eastern Extension, Australasia, and China Telegraph Company.

REUTER'S TELEGRAM COMPANY.—Telegrams for the United Kingdom, Europe, and America, will be despatched per steamship Sumatra, on the 15th instant, from Adelaide to Galle, from whence they will be sent by wire to their destinations. Messages should reach London by this route on 6th July, and must be handed in for transmission by 5 p.m. on the 14th instant.

PRESENTATION.—A testimonial, consisting of a gold pencil-case and card-case, was presented to the Rev. Joseph Barnier, incumbent of St. Barnabas's Church, Parramatta-street, on Thursday evening last, by the young men of his late confirmation class. Mr. Barnier acknowledged the receipt of the gift in suitable words, stating that it would be an additional link between the young men and himself.

PRIZES FOR SINGER SEWING MACHINES.—Mr. G. J. Wells, of Hunter-street, the agent for Singer and Co.'s sewing machines, has received for exhibition a case containing fac-similes of medals and cups awarded as prizes to the firm, for their exhibits in Europe. There are 6 silver cups, 25 gold medals, 78 silver medals, and 22 bronze medals, and comprise awards from societies of Great Britain as well as the European continent. Arranged in a large frame they present an attractive display.

THE PHILADELPHIA COMMISSION.—We have received copies of letters forwarded from Philadelphia by Mr. Charles Robinson, secretary to the Philadelphia Commission. The first letter, under date the 1st of April, states that Mr. Robinson had applied for the remission of the duties on the New South Wales wine forwarded for competition, and that his application had been forwarded to the Treasury Department. A letter of the 4th April intimates that he had transferred the unexpended balance of 5884·42-100 dollars at his account with Messrs. Drexel and Co. to the account of Mr. Morris, Executive Commissioner, and states that the current account of 2430 dollars gold had been operated upon by him to the extent of 444.45 dollars, leaving a balance of 2384.69 dollars, which Mr. Robinson estimated would be ample to meet all payments required to be made before the arrival of Mr. Morris. The Executive Commissioners decided that the balance of the £1900 remitted by the Government of New South Wales for the purposes of the Exhibition should be placed with Messrs. Drexel and Co. to be opened in the name of the Commissioners for New South Wales at Philadelphia, the account to be operated upon by cheques signed by the Executive Commissioner and countersigned by the secretary. In a letter of the 8th April Mr. Robinson states that as he found that there would not be room for the second shipment of exhibits from New South Wales, he advised Sir Daniel Cooper, Mr. Cameron, and Dr. Forbes of the fact, and on their application, and as it appeared that the colonies of Jamaica and Bermuda had more space than they could fill, an additional area of 528 feet was allotted to New South Wales, being an extension of six feet to the nave. Subsequently 128 feet more space was added, making the total 3850 feet, having frontages of 201 feet. The original area allotted to New South Wales was only 2976 feet, having frontages to passages of 96 feet. Mr. Robinson had furnished as complete a list of articles for the general catalogue as possible; and if the catalogue arrived from Sydney he hoped to be able to obtain the insertion of additional particulars when the proofs came to him for revision. A letter of the 15th notifies the arrival of Mr. Morris, the Executive Commissioner, on the 13th instant, and states that the coal trophy had been erected, and the wool cases placed in position. One of the coal seams was much broken, owing to defective packing, and the glass in some of the wool cases had been broken. On the whole, however, Mr. Robinson states that the cases had come forward in good condition. The New South Wales exhibits shipped ex steamer City of San Francisco had arrived, via Panama, at New York, in comparatively good condition, one case, 398, weighing 32 lbs., as per invoice, being short. It seems that this case, which was supposed to contain gold, was placed in the specie tank at Panama. Dr. Forbes writes to Mr. Robinson, that he is assured that the next Aspinwall steamer, due on the 25th instant, would have the missing case on board, and that no anxiety need be felt as to its care and safety. It seems that before leaving San Francisco, Mr. Morris gave special instructions regarding the transmission of the gold. The Commissioners had engaged an attendant at 18 dollars per week.

PENNANT HILLS.—On the evening of the 8th instant, Mr. Crofton Dodwell lectured in St. Paul's schoolroom, Pennant Hills, in aid of the fund for liquidating the school debt. His subject was—"A Personal Narrative of a Shipwreck," and the lecture was listened to by an appreciative audience with marked attention and interest. A very enjoyable part of the evening's entertainment was the rendering by an efficient choir of several favourite songs, duets, &c. A lady of the district presided at the harmonium. The Rev. J. G. Southby occupied the chair.

CHEAP GAS.—A London paper says that a highly satisfactory experiment had been made with an illuminating gas, produced from nine-tenths of liquid sewage and one-tenth of common oil, which was said to be equal to coal gas at one-third the cost.

GOLD AGAIN.—It is some time since the fame of the gold finds in the Nelson ranges died out (says the *Bega Standard*), and the diggers who were gathered there some years ago have long since dispersed themselves throughout the land. Recently, however, two of the original prospectors returned to their "old love," and having seen all the new rushes, they still seem to think that riches await perseverance in the Nelson hills. The men have been at work for some days, and report says they have already prospects that encourage them to go on, and as a matter of fact they are sticking to it.

ACCIDENTAL DROWNING.—On Monday, the 29th May (writes the *Kiama Reporter*), the Coroner for the district of Shoalhaven, Mr. T. Richards, held an inquest on the body of William George Arthur Gray, who was accidentally drowned in Broughton Creek on the previous day. The following evidence was elicited:—John Gray said: I am a farmer, residing at Broughton Creek; the body viewed by the Coroner and the jury is that of my son, William George Arthur Gray, aged two years and nine months; on Sunday, the 28th ultimo, I went from home in the forenoon, leaving the deceased well at home; in the evening about 4 o'clock, I heard he was lost; I went in search of him; a little later several of my neighbours assisted in searching for him, and about 7 o'clock p.m. he was found by Mr. Gray, my brother, and Mr. Stewart; I was told that he was found in Broughton Creek; I was called home to the house and found the body of my son laid on the table in a cloth in a bath; he was then dead; there were efforts made to restore the child, amongst others Mr. and Mrs. Board, and in fact several others, but it had no effect. James Stewart, sworn, said: On Sunday last, about 6 p.m., I heard that Mr. John Gray's son was lost; I, with several others, went in search of him; after searching in company with George Gray for some time, we found the body in Broughton Creek below the house of the deceased's father; I found him in shallow water, but the creek is deep above the place we found him. The jury returned as their verdict, "That the deceased, William George Arthur Gray, died at Broughton Creek on Sunday, the 28th May, 1876, and that his death was owing to his having been accidentally drowned in Broughton Creek."

A SCHOOL OF ARTS FOR THE TOWN OF ROBERTSON.—We learn from the *Scrutineer* that the residents in and around the township of Robertson seem determined not to allow its progress to lag behind that of other localities adjacent. It is now proposed to establish a School of Arts there at no very distant date. The nucleus of such is already formed, through the liberality of Mr. George Schlandt, who has presented fifty volumes, beautifully bound, of interesting works, which, after being read and approved of by Mr. John Hanrahan, are now placed in the school for circulation; Mr. Dwyer, the teacher, having kindly consented to act as librarian. Dr. Tarrant, of Kiama, has promised a donation of £10, and several other sums have also been subscribed. An application will shortly be made for two acres of the reserve on which the school stands for the purpose of erecting a School of Arts.

NOT A BAD IDEA.—The *Mirror* (Calcutta paper) says that the minister of the Brahmo Somaj, in Calcutta, has discontinued the practice of giving sermons, for the reason that Brahmos and their missionaries do not give due heed to his precepts, and do not exhibit sufficient holiness and devotedness. In referring to which the *Friend of India* (Calcutta) observes:—"If all our clergymen were of the same way of thinking as the Brahmo Somaj we wonder how many silent pulpits there would be all over Christendom?"

FITZROY CRICKET CLUB.—The annual dinner and evening party given by the Fitzroy Cricket Club, to mark the close of the season, took place at the Oddfellows' Hall, Elizabeth-street. The Mayor of Sydney occupied the chair, Alderman Green (president of the club) being in the vice-chair. An apology was received from Mr. R. Driver, M.L.A., who was unavoidably absent, owing to important business. About eighty ladies and gentlemen sat down to an excellent repast, furnished in Compagnoni's usual *recherché* style, which was evidently quite appreciated by the company. The usual loyal and complimentary toasts followed, an effective band meanwhile playing appropriate airs. Several of the gentlemen present also gave a specimen of their vocal powers, and much amusement was derived from some clever illustrations of ventriloquism by Mr. N. Cohen. After dinner (which terminated at an early hour) dancing was commenced, and kept up with spirit for a considerable time, and the company separated after spending a most enjoyable evening.

THEATRE ROYAL.—On Saturday evening, Shakespeare's tragedy of "Macbeth" was produced at this house to a large attendance. Mrs. Scott-Siddons, in assuming the *rôle* of Lady Macbeth appeared in a character perhaps more heavily taxing the histrionic capabilities of the artist than any other in which she has as yet figured here. It is in the severest line of tragedy, and is a part in which comparisons must inevitably be instituted between the *tragedienne* of the night and others who have given a delineation of the stern and implacable lady of Cawdor. It must be admitted that Mrs. Scott-Siddons's reading is a very finished, and, upon the whole, satisfactory one—although she labours under physical disadvantages which make her task the more difficult. Her rendering is capable, and in some respects original, but she does not impart to the character that haughtiness and dignity with which most playgoers and students of Shakespeare are accustomed to associate it. It is comprehensive and quiet, leaving little to find fault with, and yet not greatly impressive. It is satisfactory and pleasing, but not grand; it is, in fact, wanting in weight, if the expression may be used. Her Lady Macbeth is rather more of the schemer than the daring conspirator. Of Mr. G. D. Chaplin's Macbeth detailed notice has already been given, and his performance was neither more nor less entitled to eulogy than heretofore. He made, however, a noticeable improvement in the banquet scene, by dispensing with the appearance of the usual extremely sub-stantial ghost, and addressing his invocations to the empty chair. It is not necessary for a veritable figure to take the chair, "shake his gory locks," nod, and stride off, for an intelligent audience to appreciate the actor's meaning; and in this portion of the business Mr. Chaplin's rendering was really very powerful and graphic, and the great applause which followed it was fairly deserved. Mr. J. G. Joyce was an adequate Duncan, and Mr. W. J. Holloway a tolerable Macduff. The witches were impersonated by Mr. W. Andrews, Mr. H. Daniels, and Miss Melville, who made the weird sisters as "withered and wild" as could be desired; and Locke's music was acceptably given—Mr. P. Egan, Miss Tilly Andrews, and Miss Emma Rogers being the first, second, and third singing witches. The clashing of weapons at the side scene upon Banquo's murder, and which bore a ludicrous resemblance to the whetting of a knife upon a steel, was entirely a mistake, the unfortunate General being fallen upon and assassinated before he could have had time to draw his weapon.

VICTORIA THEATRE.—Mr. Joseph K. Emmet made his first appearance before a Sydney audience at the Victoria Theatre, on Saturday night, as "Fritz," in the play of that name, though otherwise known as "Our Cousin German." The fact that Mr. Emmet had achieved such a brilliant success in this character in Melbourne, where the play ran without interruption for eleven weeks, naturally aroused the interest of the playgoers of Sydney; and, as a consequence, the Victoria was graced by as large an audience as it has ever seen, being literally packed from the floor to the roof. The expectations which Mr. Emmet's reputation had created did not fail of a full realization for, from beginning to end, the audience exhibited their delight and appreciation by the most exuberant manifestations. If, therefore, a complete success at the outset is an augury of a successful continuance, "Fritz" bids sure to be no less popular here than in Melbourne. The play is in a more than ordinary degree fitted to the actor rather than the actor to the play; and, though it abounds with several interesting scenes and incidents, it has little of what can properly be called "plot." Fritz is a German emigrant, and the opening scene discovers him arrived at New York with his cousin Katarina. A Colonel Crafton, who is the chief villain of the piece, and Elias Grim, a lawyer, appear on the scene. The colonel conceives the idea of abducting the girl Katarina, and he instructs lawyer Grim, who appears to be a nefarious agent of his, to get Fritz out of the way, in order that he may carry out his intention. The lawyer enters into a conversation with Fritz and learns from him that he has come over to America in search of a sister. His parents, he explains, had emigrated to America years before, had become very wealthy and had died, leaving the child, Fritz's sister, of whom no trace could since be found. Colonel Crafton has an adopted daughter, whose parents died very wealthy when she was but a child, and with her he had appropriated her parents' wealth. With a lawyer's acuteness Grim at once sees Fritz's sister in the Colonel's adopted daughter, and communicating his knowledge and suspicions to Fritz, he engages himself to bring matters to a proper settlement. In the meantime the Colonel has decoyed Katarina to a concert hall, whence she is rescued by Fritz, in the guise of an old Dutchwoman. Subsequently, through the agency of Grim, he appears at an evening party at the Colonel's, where he entertains the company with a number of songs and dances, and at last finds an opportunity of proving that the Colonel's adopted daughter is his sister. The young lady though difficult to convince of her strange relationship, accepts it joyfully after hearing a song from Fritz which awakens her long dormant recollections. When the Colonel is made aware of the strange turn matters have taken, he plots to have Fritz convicted as a forger, but falls into his own trap, and, with an accomplice named Jem Cadge, disappears for a few years into prison retirement. The third and last act, which is five years later, finds Fritz settled down as a prosperous miller with Katarina for his wife, and a little olive branch named Schneider. Crafton and Cadge, released from gaol, obtrude themselves upon this scene in search of plunder and revenge. Only Katarina and her child are at home. The villains bind the former with her hands behind; and to prevent her from screaming an alarm, little Schneider is placed on the top of the mill-wheel, which Crafton stands ready to set in motion in the event of any disturbance on the part of the mother. Cadge goes into the house to secure the booty. Katarina, however, manages to seize a bell-rope with her teeth, and rings out an alarm—Crafton starts the mill wheel, a troop of neighbours rush in, with Fritz at the head of them, just in time to save little Schneider from destruction; somebody shoots Crafton dead, Cadge is made to drop through a trap door into the mill-race, and, amidst the excitement which follows, the curtain falls. The characteristic of Mr. Emmet's acting is the great good humour which he infuses into it, and which he is eminently successful in communicating to his audience. His Dutch-English is perfectly natural and exquisitely comical. His character songs before the company at Colonel Crawford's are a special feature in the performance, and are excessively diverting. The scene in court, where Fritz was being tried for forgery, excited screams of laughter, so infinitely ludicrous was it. The serious parts of the piece were also ably executed, particularly the scene wherein Fritz makes himself known to his sister; but it is in comedy that Mr. Emmet's *forte* lies. He has enough to do, for he is on the stage almost from first to last; all the other parts are merely the setting in which the jewel is displayed. Yet the interest never wearies; but from beginning to end Fritz is always welcomed. As a musician, as well as an actor, Mr. Emmet has great abilities. His performances on the guitar, the drum, and especially the mouth-harmonic, were excellent. On the last-named instrument he played no less than five distinct variations on "Home, sweet home," and with such effect as to receive the heartiest applause. He was called before the curtain at the close of each act. The other characters in the play were all very well sustained. Miss Maggie Stewart acquitted herself very ably in the part of Katarina, but her voice is somewhat weak, and she is under the disadvantage of speaking her part in untainted English, without a particle of Dutch flavour. Mrs. Belton, as Louisa (Fritz's sister), acted with much feeling, and was very successful. Miss N. Stuart as Colonel Crafton's own daughter, Miss Patty Holt as Moppy (a drudge), Mr. F. Belton as Colonel Crafton, Mr. Harry Sefton as Elias Grim, and Mr. R. S. Stewart as Julius Snow, were the remaining principal performers, and each contributed materially to the success of the play.

THE REV. CHARLES CLARK'S LECTURE ON CROMWELL.—The repetition of the Rev. Charles Clark's lecture on "Oliver Cromwell," on Saturday evening, was in every way as successful as its first delivery in Sydney. The hall of the School of Arts was densely crowded with an audience at once sympathetic and appreciative; and the lecturer's admirable elocution, his alternations from "grave to gay, from lively to severe," and, above all, his quiet but quaint local allusions, interspersed throughout and illustrative of his more serious historical theme, were highly relished by his listeners, and applauded to the echo. The lecture on "Thackeray" will be given for the first time this (Monday) evening. We have been requested to mention that, for the convenience of persons securing numbered seats, an alteration has been made in the entrance arrangements at the School of Arts which will conduce to the facility of obtaining seats.

WILSON'S CIRCUS.—On Saturday afternoon, Mr. Wilson entertained, at his mammoth hippodrome, the children of the Randwick Asylum. In the forenoon the whole strength of the company proceeded, in costume, to the Randwick Asylum in procession, and they were there joined by the youngsters, who were conveyed to the circus by about 270 cabs, the proprietors of which gratuitously placed their vehicles at the disposal of the children. The procession, which was about a mile and a half in length, was headed by two omnibuses containing the band of the Randwick Asylum and the St. Vincent band. Not only, however, did Mr. Wilson give them a free admission to his entertainment, but he also provided each child with fruit and cake—delicacies which were, no doubt, very acceptable. The children were conveyed back to the institution by omnibuses placed at their disposal by the different companies. Great praise is due to those cabmen who freely offered the use of their cabs; and as it is seldom that the public have a good opportunity of judging of the quality of horse-flesh employed in the Sydney cabs, last Saturday's procession showed that they were by no means of an inferior quality. We have been requested to state that the prices of admission to the circus have been reduced.

TELEGRAPHIC MESSAGES.

AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAMS.

CARCOAR.

SATURDAY.

A LARGE rich lode of black copper was struck at the Milburn Creek copper mine. This is the first show of ore seen in this mine. The lode is 6 feet wide and solid throughout.

A man named Kenny was killed while quarrying stone.

Mr. Lynch is addressing the electors of Carcoar in all parts of the district, and is well received. Mr. A. S. Hamilton has arrived to contest the election.

NEWCASTLE.

SATURDAY.

Two sailors, named King and Donnelly, had a narrow escape from being dashed to pieces last night. They attempted to scale the cliffs opposite the Imbecile Asylum, instead of walking round the beach. After climbing some distance, the rock gave way under Donnelly, who fell, knocking King down in his fall. King recovered his footing, but Donnelly remained in great danger while King went into town for a rope. Donnelly dared not move lest the earth should give way and he should fall about twenty feet on the sharp rocks below him. He was eventually rescued by sergeant Donahoe and the water police. The escape of the two men is looked upon as marvellous. Large crowds assembled on the spot.

MELBOURNE.

The Northumberland left to-day for London crowded with passengers.

The population of the colony at the end of March last was 825,557 persons.

Two candidates at last examination who matriculated with credit were educated at the State schools.

The Banks' challenge rowing cup, between the Commercial and New South Wales crews, was won by the former by half a length, after a splendid race.

QUEENSCLIFF.

SATURDAY.

ARRIVED.—Arawata (s.), from New Zealand.

SAILED.—Sea Nymph (barque) and Athena (barque), for Newcastle; at 1 p.m., You Yangs (s.), for Sydney; at 6 p.m., Northumberland (s.), for London.

ADELAIDE.

SATURDAY.

It is reported that another want of confidence motion will be tabled immediately Parliament meets.

Wheat is inquired for. Sellers ask 4s. 10d.; buyers are disinclined to give that figure.

PRESBYTERY OF SYDNEY.

(From the Australian Witness.)

THE Sydney Presbytery met in St. Andrew's Church on June 6. Present—Revs. Andrew Gardiner, Moderator; Dr. Lang, Dr. Fullerton, Dr. Beg, Dr. Gilchrist, Dr. White, Henry Macready, James Cosh, P. F. Mackenzie, John Kinross, with Messrs. John Fyfe, John Lutton, Rev. Colin Stewart, Rev. William Ridley, George M'Leod, Alexander Dodds, and David Walker—Elders.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed. The Rev. J. Niven presented a certificate from the Hawkesbury Presbytery, and he was received as a minister without charge.

The Rev. Dr. Fullerton made a statement regarding the opening of a preaching station at Petersham, and offered to conduct a service there every Sabbath morning. The Presbytery agreed cordially to accept his offer, and appointed Mr. David Walker to co-operate with him in making the necessary arrangements. They also appointed the Rev. Dr. Lang and David Ramsay, Esq., to wait on Captain Johnstone, to endeavour to obtain a site for a church at Petersham.

A commission from St Stephen's Session in favour of the Rev. J. B. Laughton, as representative elder in Presbytery, was read and sustained. The clerk was instructed to write to the treasurer of St. Peter's Church, and to remind him that the Rev. Mr. Kerr has not been paid for supplying the pulpit there a number of Sabbaths, during the Rev Duncan Ross's absence. The Rev. J. Pringle Woods' certificate was read, whereupon it was moved and seconded and agreed, that Mr. Woods be received as a minister of this church without charge, and that the Presbytery express deep regret at hearing of his serious illness. The Rev. P. F. Mackenzie moved, and Dr. Fullerton seconded, that additional trustees for the Devonshire-street cemetery be now nated. This motion was passed, and notice was given that at next meeting the trustees would be nominated. Mr. Alexander Dodds submitted his motion as in report of last meeting, regarding a resolution of the Presbytery in reference to a portion of land in Lower Fort street. On the motion of Dr. Lang, the following amendment was carried,—"That, as there are great doubts as to the ownership of the grant of land in Lower Fort-street, the matter be allowed to lie in abeyance." From that resolution Dr. White dissented, for the following reasons:—1st. Because no appearance of St. Andrew's Church office-bearers was made before the committee appointed to investigate the matter in October, 1875, and, therefore, the recommendation of that committee was based on an *ex parte* statement. 2. Because inasmuch as the congregation of St. Andrew's Scots' Church, claims to be in legal possession of this property it is unjust for the Presbytery to pass a resolution without hearing evidence which might have the effect at some future time of weakening that claim. 3. Because the matter does not lie in abeyance, inasmuch as the resolution of October 5, 1875, still remains on the minutes of the Presbytery."

Mr. Dodds also dissented for the same reasons. Dr. Gilchrist and Dr. Fullerton were appointed to answer the reasons for dissent.

The Rev. Mr. Tant was appointed to supply in Grafton for three months, commencing on the 18th instant. The following supplies were appointed for Newtown. Rev. Mr. M'Dougall, June 11; Rev. J. Niven, June 18th and July 2nd; Rev. Mr. Kerr, June 25. A letter was read from Alexander Learmonth, Esq.; also a note from Mrs. Ramsay, and a statement from Mr. J. Gerard, all testifying that in connection with Dobroyd Church, in no instance had interest been paid to Mrs. Ramsay in advance. It was agreed to hold a special meeting of Presbytery on Tuesday, June 20, at 2.30 p.m., in St. Andrew's Church, to consider the remits from the General Assembly.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

G. KISS.—At his Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horses, Vehicles, Saddlery, Harness, &c.
SULLIVAN AND SIMPSON.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle and Sheep.
MAIDEN, HILL, AND CLARK.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle and Sheep.
W. INGLIS.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Bullocks.
G. M. PITT AND SON.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Wethers.
HARRISON, JONES, AND DEVLIN.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Bullocks.
H. VAUGHAN.—At No. 1, Philip-terrace, Crown-street, Surry Hills, Household Furniture and Effects, Glass Shades, Flowers, Pictures, &c.
M. MOLONY.—At his Rooms, at 11, Boots and Shoes.
WOOLLER'S Horse Repository, at 11, Horses, Carts, &c.
WELLS AND SMITH.—On Smith's Wharf, at 11.30, Chaff, Hay.
DUNN AND LISTER.—At their Mart, at 11, Unredeemed Pledges.
A. MOORE AND CO.—At their Mart, at 11, Household Furniture and Effects, Shopfittings, sundries, &c.
BRADLEY, NEWTON, AND LAMB.—On the premises of Mr. Weston, Pitt-street, at 11, Stock-in-trade of Furniture, Cutlery, Platedware, &c.
THE CITY AUCTION COMPANY.—At the Residence of Mr. Alfred Lamb, 50, Macleay-street, at 11, Household Furniture and Effects.

NEW SOUTH WALES CRICKET ASSOCIATION.—We have been requested to state that a special meeting of the above-named association will be held at Tattersall's Hotel, to-night, at 8 o'clock, to revise and adopt rules.

THE BURRUMBEET OUTRAGE.—The man James Ashe, arrested at Lancefield, and sent to Ballarat on suspicion of being the perpetrator of the outrage on Mrs. Reece, at Burrumbeet, on the 4th of April last, was, we learn from the *Post*, taken to Learmonth, and charged with the capital offence before the magistrates. The prisoner pleaded not guilty. Mrs. Reece gave her evidence fully and distinctly, and identified the accused without the slightest hesitation as the man who had assaulted her. During the assault she lost her senses, and on becoming conscious she found him sitting upon her. After that she managed to get home, and told her daughter what had happened. She was quite sure the prisoner was the man. Some of the clothing worn at the time of the outrage was here produced and identified. It was much torn, and portions were bespattered with blood, showing the terrible usage to which the unfortunate woman had been subjected. The prisoner asked no questions, but denied his guilt. John Reece, the son of prosecutrix, distinctly identified the prisoner as the man Jim, who was working at the threshing-machine. William Orford, or "Toronto," fully identified the accused as a man who left him on the evening of the 4th April to follow the woman with a red shawl and billy in the paddock in which the outrage was committed. Witness looked round after he had walked some distance, and saw Jim close up to the woman, but on looking round a second time he saw nothing of them, as he had gone over a rise. The accused was the man. Prisoner admitted having worked at the machine, but again denied having committed the outrage. James Murnane identified the prisoner as one of the machine men to whom he had lent his knife early in the afternoon. The knife produced was the one which he had lent the prisoner. Was quite sure as to his identity. Dr. Bunce proved that extreme violence had been used on Mrs. Reece, who was beaten and bruised in the most shameful manner, there being hardly a spare inch on the surface of her body free from bruises. The prisoner was then cautioned, and asked if he had any statement to make, but he merely reiterated his denial of having committed the outrage. He was then formally committed to take his trial at the next Assize Court at Ballarat, on the 21st of July, on the capital offence of rape. The pocket-knife lent by the man James Murnane to the prisoner was found next morning in the paddock close to the spot where the outrage was committed.

SYDNEY DIOCESAN SYNOD.

(From the Australian Churchman.)

THE session of Synod convened to meet in Sydney on Tuesday next, will in many respects be one of the most important held for years past. Not less than ten or twelve subjects of unusual interest to the Church will in one form or other be submitted for its consideration. Among them may be named the Repeal of the Church Act—the future designation of the Church in Australia—the appointment of clergymen to parishes—the formation of new parochial districts—the proposed superannuation ordinance—the better education of the sons of the clergy—the amendment of the rules of the Clergy Widows' and Orphans' Funds, with others of no less practical importance. Whether it is intended to bring forward the question of the St. James's and St. Philip's glebes during the coming session, we cannot say. With so much else demanding immediate attention, perhaps it would be impossible to do it justice. But if an impression, which very generally prevails among Churchmen is well founded, the matter must sooner or later receive a thorough investigation. In the interests of the Church at large it seems necessary that this should be done. There are many knotty points no doubt to be solved, and many difficulties surrounding the whole question. Besides which the interests involved are various and intricate. It may suffice, therefore, for the present simply to direct the notice of the Synod to the necessity of an early settlement, that members may brace up their energies for the task at some future session.

It is most satisfactory to find pervading the ranks of the laity so praiseworthy an anxiety respecting the well-being of their clergy. That the same anxiety extends to the clergyman's wife and family is still more worthy of acknowledgment. The minister of Christ, it is true should be prepared to devote himself and all he possesses to the Lord's service. But seeing that after all he is but human, the vision of a possible widow and fatherless babes cast penniless upon the world is not calculated to help him in the performance of his arduous duties. Any amendment that will be likely to extend the usefulness of the Clergy Widows' and Orphans' Fund will have our cordial sympathy, and will also, we are assured, meet with the cordial support of the lay members of the Synod. The proposed scheme for the provision of pensions to clergymen superannuated is another aspect of the same wide subject. No one will venture to question the claims of men who have borne the heat and burden of the day, upon the generous offices of the people for whose spiritual welfare they have laboured. The ordinance to be submitted will doubtless receive the most careful consideration.

Thanks to the indefatigable exertions of the late Mrs. Barker—whose loving care of this, as of every kindred institution in the diocese, is too well known and too gratefully remembered to need repetition here—the daughters of the clergy have had for some years past the means of a suitable education placed within their reach. It remains for a similar provision to be made for the sons of the country clergy. We speak more especially of the sons of country clergymen, because those stationed in the neighbourhood of Sydney possess advantages in the way of education for their children, of which their less fortunate brethren are deficient. We understand that a proposal will be made before the close of the approaching session, which we trust will lead to the establishment either of a home, in which the sons of the country clergy may be boarded and cared for at a moderate cost, and from which they may attend the best day-schools of the city or of an establishment of a more decidedly scholastic character.

In view of the unusual amount of work to be got through in the short time at the disposal of the Synod, it may not be amiss to offer just one word of advice. There is a tendency in every deliberative assembly to over-much speaking. And our Synods in the past have not been altogether free from this defect. It would not be very difficult, one would suppose, to arrive at a decision beforehand, as to the line of argument to be taken on both sides, as regards at least the main subjects under discussion. Much valuable time would thus be saved. And if in addition each speaker would make it his business to be as brief and concise as possible, further time would be gained, and weariness prevented. Practical legislation is after all the only legitimate object of the Synod's meeting together, though many indirect benefits, we are glad to think, do also accrue. We venture to express a hope in conclusion that under the Divine guidance the session to be inaugurated on Tuesday may be fraught with permanent blessing to the diocese.

AUSTRALIAN MEAT FOR GREAT BRITAIN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—My process for the preservation of meat fresh in the carcase has now been in abeyance for so many years that you may perhaps feel surprised at any attempt being made for its resuscitation.

A circumstance connected with it was, however, unexpectedly brought under my notice on Friday last by Captain Case, late commander of the ship Silver Eagle, now of the ship Salisbury, in port at Newcastle, which, I think, will justify me in again calling public attention to the matter.

I was not previously aware of the fact that a portion of the mutton supplied by me in 1870 for the use of the officers in command of H. M. troops on board the Silver Eagle had been conveyed to England, eaten and highly approved of in London, more than three months after the animals were slaughtered in Sydney. On receipt of the accompanying letter, I proceeded to Singleton, and brought the matter under notice of a few influential men interested in the subject, who suggested that a meeting should be called, in order to give an opportunity for further explanation, and who promised considerable pecuniary support.

Having determined to throw my patent open to the public, I intimated to the gentlemen referred to that if a sum (comparatively small, but sufficient to thoroughly test the practicability of the process) could be obtained, I would guarantee, within three months of my commencing operations, the arrival in the London market of at least 150 sheep consigned to the firm of Messrs. Chandler and Hickmann, who in September, 1869, wrote to Sir William Macarthur, as president of the Sydney Agricultural Society, expressing the great interest they felt in the result of my experiments. I now repeat the offer of throwing my patent open to the public, and will feel obliged by your giving publicity to this communication as well as to the recent letter of Captain Case.

Yours obediently,
J. V. LAVERS.

Myrtle-street, Darlington, 8th June, 1876.

"Ship Salisbury,
"Newcastle, 5th June, 1876.

"Mr. J. V. Lavers.

"Sir,—I have pleasure in supplementing the testimonial I before gave you with regard to the preserved beef and mutton placed by you on board the ship Silver Eagle, for use of the officers in command of H.M.'s troops on their homeward voyage in 1870.

"I took one of the sides of mutton referred to to England, and although the meat had been killed upwards of three months it was perfectly sound and fresh, and eaten both by myself and the owner of the ship, Mr. Soames, who expressed surprise at the meat having kept so long. It was as might be expected, rather dry, from having been so long kept in the orlop deck, but I am decidedly of opinion that if meat preserved by your process could be conveyed to Europe in a reasonable time, say within two months of its being slaughtered, it would be greatly appreciated, and meet with a ready sale.

"Yours obediently,
(Signed) "GEO. CASE, Master ship Salisbury."

THE BOROUGH OF RANDWICK V. GEDDES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—Would you allow me space to say, in order to remove an impression left on the public mind, from the report of the above case, that I really defended the action brought against me simply and solely because my tenant was sued *at the present sittings*, for the *same house* and portion of *the land* for which I was sued: and as it appeared to me to be in the highest degree unjust to sue both of us for the same property, and as it was not worth my while to employ an attorney to meet the attorney for the borough, I thought it the simplest plan to submit that under sections 164 and 176 of the Municipalities Act of 1867, the *occupier* was alone liable to be sued. This is plain law, and his Honor the Judge at once decided in my favour. However as a rate is bona fide due upon the property I intend to pay it now, notwithstanding the verdict, but I hope it will be a lesson to the Council not to take the extreme step of suing in a Court *two* persons, so if *one* happen to lose the *other* must pay.

I should imagine that Borough Councils generally should be glad that the point is decided. When it becomes known that occupiers are liable rates will be promptly paid by tenants, and deducted, as they should be, out of the rent payable to the owner.

Yours obediently,
JOHN GEDDES.

Spring Vale, Botany, 9th June.

THE RAILWAY INTO SYDNEY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—I am glad to see by your report that the estimate for this extension has been postponed to give time for the ventilation of the subject; and I desire to give my ideas as to which is the proper route to take. I will presume that the one chosen is about the worst that could be conceived, being only convenient for Woolloomooloo people, and quite the contrary for the general traffic of the city proper. The plan I propose is one that would not be expensive, and bring the passenger station right into the town, while the goods traffic would be carried right on to the Circular Quay and other water frontages.

The railway is already extended to Darling Harbour—or, you might say, almost to the foot of Liverpool-street. Well, say, extend to that part of the city along Sussex-street, and then tunnel under as far as the site of the Markets and Police Office, and make a passenger station at this point similar to the great underground railways in the very heart of the great metropolis of London, having a handsome structure in George-street, with flights of handsome stairs to descend to the underground line. So much for the passengers. Where could there be a more central station? Now for the goods traffic; let the line branch off along Sussex-street, pulling down all the old rookeries that infest the place, breeding disease and all sorts of things detrimental to health, and which are of comparatively little value, as far as the A. S. N. Company's wharf, and then by another tunnel across the city, right on to the Circular Quay at the Commissariat Stores, another splendid site for a goods station, and nothing to pay for the land, as it already belongs to the Government.

The length of the tunnels would in all be not more than one mile or so, and could not be as expensive as buying up a large quantity of valuable city property as proposed in the scheme laid before Parliament on Thursday evening.

I give this for what it is worth, and in my humble opinion it is a good and cheap route, and no difficulties in the way. Miles and miles of railway run underground in London and elsewhere for passenger traffic, and pay large dividends. Why then cannot we construct a mile or two at the most in this way, and thus carry both our passenger and goods traffic right to the proper place, and without any cost for taking up valuable land, and thus securing to the citizens their proper rights and privileges? As regards the other water frontages, the line could branch again at Kent-street on its route to the Circular Quay, and thus take in all the Darling Harbour wharfs, and secure the goods traffic from this source.

Yours,
NOVEL IDEA.

MERCANTILE AND MONEY ARTICLE.

SATURDAY EVENING.

THE Customs' duties received to-day were as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Spirits	£352	9	11
Wine, still	33	0	0
Ale, porter, and beer (in wood)	2	10	0
Tobacco, unmanufactured	1	4	0
Tea	15	1	0
Coffee and chicory	28	0	0
Sugar, unrefined	75	0	0
Sarsaparilla	20	0	0
Opium	47	17	6
Hops	6	14	0
Specific duty	140	14	5
Pilotage	3	13	0
Harbour and light dues	7	7	0
Total	£738	10	10

We have Calcutta advices to April 26, reporting the clearances of the Jamaica and Ellen Isabella for the colonies, with 8000 bags rice, 3994 bales jute goods. The James Service was loading for Melbourne. Rice was lower; sales of Seets at 3 rupees 9 annas. Cornsacks, 26 rupees for September delivery; woolpacks, 1 rupee 1 anna. Large sale of potato bags at 17 rupees. Castor oil dull, at 8 rupees 4 annas for good seconds. Coals quiet; 10 rupees asked for Australian.

From Colombo, under date 9th ultimo, we learn that plantation coffee had fallen from 110s. to 104s. f.o.b.; sales of chetty at 100s.; picked native, 79s.

The *Argus* of Thursday reports of the Melbourne markets:—

In the import market a fair amount of business has been transacted, and an improved inquiry has been experienced. Breadstuffs are firm, and though no great demand exists at present, we see no indication of prices giving way, for with the slightest inquiry the market at once assumes an improved tone. At auction this forenoon 450 bags of wheat were cleared off at 5s 9d to 5s 11d, the bulk realising 5s 10d and 5s 11d. No private sales have been reported. Flour is steady at £12 5s to £12 7s 6d, but no special business has reached us. There has been more doing in oats. Under the hammer, 500 bags were disposed of at 3s 11½d to 3s 0½d. Privately, sales to the extent of 1200 bags have been effected, when 3s 3½d was obtained for heavy New Zealand, 3s 4d for seed, and 3s for ordinary feeding. Maize has been moving off at 4s to 4s 1d for trade requirements. A line of malting barley has been placed at 5s 1½d. Rice continues to attract attention, and offers are now making very freely of £14 in bond for the Amyone's shipment, in parcels of 60 tons, without leading to business, holders requiring an advance on this. Trade sales of the first of the season's arrivals are making at £16 10s, in bond. A parcel of 40 pockets hops, Kent's, 1875, a very fine sample, has been taken up at a full price. Candles are moving off steadily; a parcel of 250 boxes Jenar's, slightly faulty, was sold in bond at 8d., and one of 500 boxes, of a similar character, likewise Jenar's, was taken, duty paid, at 10d. Currants are very firm; home telegrams received by the mail report a further rise in the London market. The shipment of 500 cases castor oil per Amyone has, we understand, changed hands on terms withheld. Inquiries for diamond oil are reported which are likely to lead to business, as the reduction in stock begins to be more noticed. In tobaccos we note the quittance publicly of 185 packages, all faults, out of the 297 offered, when prices ranging from 6½d to 11½d were realised. We learn of the sale, privately, of 30 hogsheads of Virginian strip and leaf tobacco, at full rates. In liquids, we hear of the sale of Hennessy's case, to arrive, at 30s 6d.

MONDAY MORNING.

The Hawkesbury, from London, with a cargo of general merchandise, arrived yesterday.

MELBOURNE LIVE STOCK MARKET.

[RICHARD GIBSON AND CO.]

FAT CATTLE.—1850 were drawn for yesterday, about 1600 came into the yards, being the largest number penned for many months. A large proportion were only inferior and middling quality, consequently, after the bare supply of good stuff last week, prices for best descriptions suffered only a very slight reduction, and towards the close of the sales some slight rise was noticeable on all classes. There was a strong muster of the country trade, all of whom purchased freely, and rendered great assistance in maintaining late satisfactory rates. We sold 151 bullocks of the favourite FF brand for Messrs. Robertson, Brothers, Colac, at from £10 to £16 15s. The average for the shorthorn station-breds was £15 14s, the top average of the day; all round, £13 13s. The former extraordinary high figure was obtained amidst considerable excitement, and the cattle created spirited competition between the town and country butchers, the top pen being purchased by Mr. P. J. Prendergast, Elizabeth-street; 102 cows, for Messrs. Maguire and Cohen, from Canally Station, at from £5 2s 6d to £10, averaging £7 17s, being the highest average for a mob of Northern cows for many months; 49 bullocks, for Mr. A. Smith, Lindenow, at from £8 11s to £10 12s 6d, averaging £9 5s; 20 bullocks, for Messrs. Campbell, Brothers, Traralgon Park, averaging £11 5s.

Fat Calves.—Only a limited quantity yarded. The trade was bare of supplies, and purchased readily at a still further advance; best being chiefly in request, making 61s 6d to 73s 6d; good, 50s to 55s; others, 10s upwards. We sold 16 for Mr. David Mitchell, Yarra Flats, and a small draft for Mr. A. M'Nab, Greenvale, at quotations.

Fat Sheep.—A very short supply forward, viz., 11,119, consisting chiefly of good to prime quality crossbreds; sales for such were brisk throughout, at an advance of about 1s 6d per head; secondary and medium descriptions were also in better demand, at from 6d to 1s per head over last week's currencies. We quote—best crossbred wethers, 22s 6d to 27s 6d, a few extra up to 28s; good, 18s to 21s; seconds, 16s to 17s; others, 14s upwards; best crossbred ewes, up to 16s; others, 10s upwards; best merino wethers, 15s to 16s; seconds, 13s to 14s; others, 8s upwards; best merino ewes, 10s to 11s; others, 5s upwards. We sold—1960 wethers for Mr. Thomas Darchy, from Oxley station; 789 wethers for Mr. John Taylor, Woodford; 830 ewes and wethers for Mr. W. J. Clarke, from Wildwood and Rockbank Estates; 180 wethers for Mr. S. Piffero, Wharparilla; 99 wethers for Mr. J. Simson, Echuca; and, outside, 580 ewes and wethers for Mr. W. J. Clarke, Bald Hill.

Fat Lambs.—498 yarded, which were disposed of at satisfactory rates, best making from 10s 6d to 11s 6d; seconds, 8s 6d to 9s 6d; others, 4s. We sold—181 for Mr. W. J. Clark, Rockbank; 93 for Messrs. Gooch, Brothers, Piper's Creek.

Store Stock.—This market is devoid of any special interest, inferior and middling descriptions of sheep or cattle are not meeting with ready sales; but really good lots are more easily placed, and have a better prospect in view. Quotations unaltered. We sold, in conjunction with Mr. James Mann, of Deniliquin, 2000 wethers, for Messrs. Peppin and Sons, Wanganella, at top quotations.

Pure Stock.—We have sold, on account of Messrs. P. and J. G. Brisbane, of Epping Park, Epping, the pure shorthorn bull Double Brunswick, 10 months old, got by 8th Duke of Derrimut, by Duke of Brunswick (25,937); dam Lady Brunswick by Duke of Brunswick (25,937), g d Rosebush by Royal Butterfly 31st; g g d Rosa imported, C.H.B. vol. xiii. p. 683), &c., &c., to Mr. Lawrence Dugdale, of Springfield, Myrniong, for 250 guineas. He is a fine roan heavily-fleshed calf, and, possessing the double cross of the famous Duke of Brunswick blood, will, no doubt, prove a great acquisition to the Pentland Hills district.—June 7.

REFUSING TO SUPPLY FOOD TO A TRAVELLER.—The following case at the Brisbane Police Court is reported by the *Courier*:—J. H. Scott v. G. H. Fishley.—Mr. Hely appeared for plaintiff, and Mr. Thynne for defendant. The evidence of plaintiff was to the effect that he took a shepherd, who had come from Oxley with sheep of his, to the hotel, and asked defendant's wife for tea and breakfast for him, which she refused, and, on being told that it was rather dangerous to refuse it to a traveller, replied that she knew her business. The shepherd Mirless corroborated the statement. The Police Magistrate said that publicans were bound to supply travellers with food, but a great many did not care about doing it, as it inconvenienced them. Defendant acted wrongly in the matter, and he would be fined 25s., professional costs £1 1s, and costs of Court 3s. 6d.

ANOTHER FATAL KEROSENE ACCIDENT.—A melancholy and fatal accident occurred on the 8th instant (reports the *Queensland Times*), by which another victim has been added to the long list of those whose death is attributable to the dangerous explosive, kerosene oil. It appears that a child of Mr. Robert Watson, aged about two years, accidentally upset a lighted lamp, and a young woman named Meredith, aged about eighteen years, stepsister to the child, in her eagerness to save the latter and extinguish the flames, ran hastily and dragged the little one out of danger. She then threw several articles on the burning liquid and afterwards used her own clothing to help extinguish the flames. Unfortunately her garments became ignited, and in a second or two she was enveloped in flames; and although speedy efforts were made to rescue her from the terrible fate which seemed to await her, they were unavailing, as she was so severely burnt that death ensued in twenty-four hours from the occurrence of the accident. The poor girl had been so eager in her desire to see the child safe that she seemed to lose all presence of mind, and caused her death through over-anxiousness to prevent danger.

A PARSON AND A SCHOOLMASTER.—We learn from a Leeds paper that there has been a battle in Bradford. There has been a personal conflict between the parson and the schoolmaster. The parson as manager, wished to give the "poor little things" a fortnight's holiday at Christmas, but the schoolmaster thought a week enough. From angry words they passed to hasty blows. The schoolmaster seized the parson by the cravat, but the clerical cane was brought into active play, and the pedagogue came off "second best." The boys were delighted at the spectacle of a personal onset and the prospect of a lengthened holiday. We should like to know whether the parson afterwards dilated on the seasonable text: *Gloria in excelsis, et pax in terra.*—*Schoolmaster.*

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12 Table Forks	.. 30 „	at 6s 2d	.. 9 5 0
12 Dessert ditto	.. 20 „	at 6s 2d	.. 6 3 4
2 Gravy Spoons	.. 10 „	at 6s 2d	.. 3 1 0
1 Soup Ladle	.. 9 „	at 6s 2d	.. 2 15 4
4 Sauce ditto	.. 10 „	at 6s 8d	.. 3 6 8
4 Salt Spoons	.. „	at ..	.. 1 2 6
12 Tea ditto ..	.. 10 „	at 6s 8d	.. 3 6 8
1 Pair Sugar Tongs ..	.. „	at ..	.. 0 15 0
			£45 4 2

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12 Table Spoons	.. 40 oz.	at 6s 6d	.. £13 0 0
12 Dessert ditto	.. 25 „	at 6s 6d	.. 8 2 0
12 Table Forks	.. 40 „	at 6s 6d	.. 13 0 0
12 Dessert ditto	.. 25 „	at 6s 6d	.. 8 2 6
2 Gravy Spoons	.. 12 „	at 6s 6d	.. 3 18 6
1 Soup Ladle	.. 10 „	at 6s 6d	.. 3 5 0
4 Sauce ditto	.. 12 „	at 7s 0d	.. 4 4 0
4 Salt Spoons	..	.. ..	.. 2 4 0
12 Tea ditto ..	.. 14 „	at 7s 0d	.. 4 18 0
1 Pair Sugar Tongs	..	.. ..	.. 1 5 0
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Or neighbour's sympathy may ease us,
We pitying moan.
But thee—thou h' o' a' diseases!
Aye, mocks our groan.

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Horses, heavy and light
Vehicles, Harness, and Saddlery.

GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, all lots not specially advertised; and at 12 o'clock, all lots specially advertised.
Regular sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown any afternoon.
Horses and Vehicles on hire.

Thoroughbred Horse, St. Hilliers.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from G. S. Hall, jun. Esq., to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, on TUESDAY, the 13th instant, at 12 o'clock, without reserve,
ST. HILLIERS, a bay horse by Kingston (imported), out of Lavalette, by New Warrior (imported).
St. Hilliers, as a 3-year-old, won the first four races he started for, including Newcastle Handicap, beating, amongst others, Mr. Ivory's Greyskin, by Yattendon. He ran second in a large field for the principal prize at Maitland Races, September, 1874; and on the second day, same meeting, won Duckenfield Park Stake, beating, amongst others, Priam, and Mr Ivory's Stirling. Ten days afterwards he won the Wollongong Handicap, beating Nuncio, and a large field of horses.

40 Head of Horses.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Messrs. Welch and M'Connell to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, on WEDNESDAY next the 14th instant, at 2 o'clock,
40 head of horses, consisting of heavy and light draught, broken and unbroken, and a lot of very useful light harness, broken and unbroken.

Pair of Bay Buggy Horses.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
A pair of bay geldings, broken to saddle, single and double harness.

SALES DAILY at Wooller's Horse Bazaar, Pitt-st., at 11 o'clock—Horses, carts, buggies, &c.

FAT CATTLE.

MAIDEN, HILL, and CLARK have received instructions from A. E. Johnston, Esq., to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, the 12th instant, at 11 o'clock,
166 prime fat bullocks, from Messrs. White's Hunter River paddocks.

FAT SHEEP.

MAIDEN, HILL, and CLARK have received instructions from James Glass, Esq., to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, 12th instant, at 11 o'clock,
1650 prime fat maiden ewes.

Fat Bullocks. Fat Bullocks.

WILLIAM INGLIS has received instructions from M. Butler, Esq., Woodlands, Sutton Forest, to sell by auction, THIS DAY, June 12th, at the Homebush Yards, at 1 o'clock,
180 very prime paddock-fed fat bullocks.

SULLIVAN and SIMPSON have received instructions from Messrs. E. and A. Bowman to sell by auction, at the Homebush Yards, THIS DAY the 12th instant, at 11 o'clock,
130 head of really prime and weighty fat cattle, in lots.

SULLIVAN and SIMPSON have received instructions from W. H. Readett, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Homebush Yards, THIS DAY, the 12th instant, at 11 o'clock,
200 head of really prime and weighty fat cattle, in lots.

SULLIVAN and SIMPSON have received instructions from R. Smith, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Homebush Yards, THIS DAY, the 12th instant, at 11 o'clock,
6 head of really prime and weighty fat (lucerne fed) bullocks, fully 1200 lbs. each.

G. M. PITT and SON have received instructions from George D. Lane, Esq., to sell by auction, THIS DAY, the 12th instant, at the Homebush Yards, at 11 o'clock,
600 prime fat wethers, in lots, per train.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by R. H. M'Alister, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, 12th June, at 11 o'clock,
100 prime fat bullocks.

1000 Bags Chaff
200 Bales Oaten Hay.
Ex Macedon, from Melbourne.
THIS DAY, at half-past 1 o'clock.
On Struth's Wharf, foot of King-street.

WELLS and SMITH have received instructions from R. Harvey, Esq., to sell by auction, on Struth's Wharf, THIS DAY, at half-past 10 o'clock,
1000 bags chaff, in prime condition
200 bales oaten hay, ditto.
Terms at sale.

THIS DAY, 12th instant, at 11 o'clock.

TO PARTIES FURNISHING, DEALERS, AND OTHERS.

Splendid-toned Cottage PIANOFORTE
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and Effects, comprising
LOO TABLE, Horsehair Couches, Chairs, Pictures, Chiffonier, Glass Shades, Flowers, Glassware, Lamps, Cupboard, Oilcloth Matting, splendid Clocks
Quantity BOOKS
IRON BEDSTEADS, Feather Beds, Horsehair Mattresses, Chest Drawers, Bedroom Furniture
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BATH, Perambulator, Steps, &c.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions to sell by auction, on the premises, No. 1, Phillip-terrace, Crown-street, Surry Hills, opposite Bluck's Hotel.
The above, without reserve.

Unredeemed Pledges.

DUNN and LISTER will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 204, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, the unredeemed pledges pawned with Mr. J. Jones, pawnbroker, York-street, as follows:—
Clothing, &c., at 11 o'clock.
Jewellery, &c., at half-past 3 o'clock.

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Extensive Sale of Superior Household Furniture and Effects, comprising ELEGANT ROSEWOOD DRAWING ROOM SUITE, in CRIMSON SILK: ROSEWOOD PIANOFORTE, by Collard and Collard; Loo, Telescope, and other Tables, Chiffoniers, Brussels Carpets, Pier Glasses, 60 x 50; Iron and Wood Bedsteads, Bedding, Chest Drawers, Washstands and Toilet Glasses, Kitchen Utensils, Bagatelle Table, Stoves, Glass Cases, Counters, Shop Fittings, &c.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, at the Mart, Pitt-street,
The above.

15 Nests CAMPHOR WOOD TRUNKS.
10 Chests CAMPHOR WOOD DRAWERS.

CAREY, GILLES, and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, on WEDNESDAY, the 14th instant, at 11 o'clock prompt,
Ex mail steamer.
The above.
Terms at sale.

WEDNESDAY, the 14th instant.

2 Cases very choice BOHEMIAN GLASS GOODS
1 Case FANCY STATIONERY
8 Cases FANCY GOODS, PIPES, CUTLERY, PICTURES, &c., &c.

On account and risk of the shippers.

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11 cases merchandise, as above.
Terms at sale.

FRIDAY, next, 16th May.

38 Cases Best LONDON-MADE FURNITURE,
Now landing, ex Parthia.

FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE.

Under instructions from the Importers, Messrs. HENRY HARRIS and CO.

Important to Parties Furnishing, Furniture Dealers, Brokers, and others

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A very superior importation of London-made HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, of all descriptions.
Full particulars in a few days.

WEDNESDAY, the 14th instant.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE OF
28 Cases Merchandise as under,
2 Cases TABLE CUTLERY
1 Case SCISSORS and COMBS
1 Case RAZOR STROPS
4 Casks ASHBY'S TEAPOTS
2 Cases Rustic BRIAR PIPES
2 Cases 3 hole E. P. CRUETS
2 Cases 4-hole ditto
1 Case Assorted E. P. EGG FRAMES
1 Case B. M. Plate Covers
1 Case Fancy BRIAR PIPES
6 Cases Fancy and Leather Goods
5 Casks Walker's Ink.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

CAREY, GILLES, and CO. are instructed by the importers to sell by auction, at the Bank Rooms, on WEDNESDAY next, the 14th instant, at 11 o'clock prompt, WITHOUT RESERVE,
28 cases manufactures.
Just landed in first rate order.

Terms, liberal, at sale.

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36 Cases of first-class LONDON MADE FURNITURE
Upholstered and in the White.
Now landing ex JASON.

For UNRESERVED SALE by Auction on FRIDAY next.
By order of the Importers, Messrs. COWLISHAW, BROTHERS,
22 Cases UPHOLSTERED and FINISHED FURNITURE
14 Cases consisting of very CHOICE and ELEGANT assortment of FRAMEWORK.
Further particulars in a future issue.

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36 cases new and modern style ENGLISH FURNITURE, now landing ex Jason, from London.

Terms, liberal, at sale.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

Important Sale by Auction.

By order of Messrs. GRIFFITHS and CO. who are removing from their present Stores consequent upon their lease expiring at the end of the month.

On THURSDAY, the 15th instant.

TEAS, SUGARS, GROCERIES
OILMEN'S STORES, CHEMICALS
IRON, MUNTZ METAL, and NAILS
BUNDER GOODS, BOILER PLATE
WINES and SPIRITS, &c., &c.

Full particulars in Tuesday's HERALD.

CAREY, GILLES, and CO are favoured with instructions from Messrs. GRIFFITHS and CO. (whose lease expires at the end of the month) to sell by auction, on THURSDAY next, the 15th instant, at 11 o'clock prompt,
The whole of the firm's importations in store, comprising a large and varied assortment of general merchandise.

Terms, liberal, at sale.

Stock of a Country Storekeeper.

To the Boot and Shoe Trade, Dealers, and others.

MR. M. MOLONY has received instructions to sell by auction, at his Room, 239, George-street, THIS DAY, 12th instant, at 11 a.m.,
Several lines of boots and shoes, the stock of a country storekeeper.
Terms at sale.

BOOTS AND SHOES. BOOTS AND SHOES.

MONDAY, the 12th instant.

New and Seasonable Goods, now landing in first-rate order, &c., ex Parthia, of the celebrated make of Nathan Joseph, comprising—
Ladies' Kid M. A. P. Peak Toes, hand-sewn, various
Ditto ditto ditto ditto ditto, machined, ditto
Ditto ditto ditto ditto Hungarians, ditto
Ditto ditto ditto ditto Garibaldi, ditto
Ditto ditto ditto Ch. ditto, ditto
Ditto ditto ditto P. Polish, ditto
Ditto Cloth T. P. H. W. Goloshed, ditto
Ditto Cashmere ditto, ditto
Ditto Lasting Kid Toes and Plain, hand-sewn and machined
Maids' ditto ditto ditto ditto
Girls' ditto ditto ditto
Maids', Girls', and Children's Patent Seal Garibaldi, &c.

To the Boot and Shoe Trade, Country Storekeepers, and others.

MR. M. MOLONY is favoured with instructions from Messrs. Scott, Henderson, and Co., the importers, to sell by auction, in his Rooms, No. 239, George-street, THIS DAY, the 12th instant, at 11 o'clock prompt,
An invoice of boots and shoes, of the above celebrated manufacture.
Just landed, ex Parthia, to which the particular attention of the trade and intending purchasers is invited, as the auctioneer is instructed to sell every line
ENTIRELY WITHOUT RESERVE.

Terms, liberal, at sale.

Time 11 o'clock prompt.

To determine Partnership Accounts, and for Bona-fide Sale.

One of the best
HOTEL and CAFE ESTABLISHMENTS
in the colony.

COURVOISIER'S,
King and George streets.

Lease, License, Goodwill, Fixtures, Fittings, Stock, Billiard Tables, Furniture, and Effects.

Now in full work, not excelled by any other in the city.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 273, George-street, on TUESDAY, June 13, at 11 o'clock,
LEASE, LICENSE.

BILLIARD TABLES.

Ports, sherries
Rhenish wine
Hennessy's brandy, in wood and glass
Sarsaparilla, barsac
Clarets, Geneva bitters
Dublin stout, whisky
Hock, steinvein
Cawarra, Dalwood
Fallon's riesling
Chartreuse, absinthe
Chablis, sauterne
Schnapps, bulk ale and porter
Curaçao, moselle
Sauces, pickles
Hams, chutney
Mustard, pepper
Truffles, mushrooms
Salad oil, vinegar
And other groceries, &c., &c.

Table and bed linen.

Electro-plated ware.

Cutlery, glassware.

Dinner and dessert services.

Breakfast ditto ditto.

Gasaliers, pictures.

Chandeliers.

Entre and side dishes
Pianoforte
Furniture saloon No. 1
Ditto long-room
Ditto billiard-room.
Bar fixtures
Clocks, mirrors
Furniture dining-saloon
Ditto ladies' dining-saloon
Ditto bars and kitchen
Ditto bedroom No. 1
Ditto ditto No. 2
Ditto ditto No. 3
Ditto ditto No. 4
Ditto ditto No. 5
Ditto ditto No. 6
Ditto ditto No. 7
Ditto ditto No. 8
Ditto ditto No. 9
Ditto ditto No. 10
Ditto ditto No. 11
Ditto ditto No. 12
Ditto ditto No. 13
Ditto sitting-room No. 1
Ditto ditto No. 2
Ditto ditto No. 3
Ditto long-room No. 4.
Detailed particulars at sale.

AUCTION SALES

FOR UNRESERVED SALE.

Fast-sailing Schooner
ADA FLORENCE.

50 tons burthen, on 5 feet.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON will sell by auction, at their Rooms, on TUESDAY, June 13,
That fine colonial-built-schooner ADA FLORENCE, only 5 years old, coppered about 6 months since, well found, and IN FIRST-CLASS ORDER.
She can be inspected off Pyrmont.
Full particulars at sale.

Imperative Sale of
Drapery
Woollens
Clothing
Manchester Goods, &c.

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, June 13 and 14.

MR. CHARLES TEAKLE has been instructed to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street, on TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY next, June 13 and 14, at 11 o'clock,
27 packages of drapery.
Just landed.
Details in future issue.

REMOVAL.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB,

AUCTIONEERS,

to their NEW PREMISES,

SPRING and O'CONNELL STREETS.

MONDAY, 12th June.
On the Premises, 278, Pitt-street.
Extensive unreserved Sale by Auction of the whole of the Stock-in-Trade of
FURNITURE, CUTLERY, PLATED-WARE, and HOUSEHOLD REQUISITES.

comprising
WALNUT DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, covered in green rep, damask, &c., &c.
SINGLE and DOUBLE-WINGED WARDROBES
WALNUT CHIFFONIERS, MARBLE TOPS, and PLATE GLASS BACKS and DOORS
BOOKCASES CHESTS DRAWERS
TUBULAR IRON BEDSTEADS, various sizes
HORSEHAIR COUCHES
CUTLERY, E. P. WARE, &c., &c.
DINING-ROOM SUITES, covered in morocco
and a general assortment of
VALUABLE FURNITURE.

To FURNITURE WAREHOUSEMEN.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from Mr. J Western to sell by auction, on the premises, 278, Pitt-street, opposite School of Arts, THIS DAY, 12th June, at 11 o'clock, in consequence of his retiring from the business,
The whole of his extensive stock-in-trade, as above.
Terms, cash.

Preliminary Notice.

THURSDAY, 15th June, at 11 a.m.

At the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.

VERY ATTRACTIVE SALE
of
MAGNIFICENT PATENT ELECTROPLATE AND VERY COSTLY TABLE SERVICES.

Most beautifully chased and engraved.

THIS SHIPMENT of NEW GOODS represents a value of SEVERAL HUNDRED POUNDS sterling, and is direct from a CELEBRATED English manufacturer of Silver and Patent Electroplate Wares.

. The choice will be found on inspection very extensive and the consignment includes almost every article made in this department of scientific labour.

TO PRIVATE GENTLEMEN FURNISHING, SILVERSMITHS, FURNITURE WAREHOUSEMEN, and COMMISSION AGENTS.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, at their New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, on THURSDAY, 15th June at 11 a.m.,
. NEW SHIPMENT OF VERY VALUABLE PLATE.
☞ Full particulars will be published, and early notice given when the goods can be examined.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

On FRIDAY, 16th June, at 11 a.m.,
At the NEW AUCTION ROOMS, Spring and O'Connell-streets.
Will be submitted for public competition
The VALUABLE LAW LIBRARY, the property of the late R. M. ISAACS, Esq.

The VALUABLE LAW and GENERAL LIBRARY of the late JUDGE CHEEKE.

and the
MEDICAL and MISCELLANEOUS LIBRARY the property of Dr. BROWN.

☞ Catalogues will be compiled and printed early before the sale.

To PRIVATE GENTLEMEN, MEMBERS of the LEGAL and MEDICAL PROFESSIONS, and Dealers in Literature.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, at their New Auction Rooms, Spring and O'Connell-streets, on FRIDAY, 16th June, at 11 a.m.,
THREE VALUABLE LIBRARIES of BOOKS.
Terms, cash.

Preliminary Notice.
On TUESDAY, 20th June, at 11 a.m.
At the Australian Auction Rooms, Spring-street.
Highly attractive Unreserved Sale by Auction.

Ex Rooparell.
20 HOGSHEADS LIMOGES CHINA,
FROM THE CELEBRATED FACTORIES OF MESSRS. HAVILAND and CO.,
comprising a large assortment of the most elegant articles now in use in Europe.
Full particulars of which will duly appear.
To Gentlemen Furnishing, China Importers, and others.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been favoured with instructions from Messrs. Montefiore, Joseph, and Co., to sell by auction, at their New Premises, Spring-street, on TUESDAY, 20th June, at 11 a.m.,
Ex Rooparell,
20 hogsheads finest Limoges china.
Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, 13th June, at half-past 11 a.m.

At Bradley, Newton, and Lamb's new Auction Premises, Spring and O'Connell streets.

FLOORCLOTHS, FLOORCLOTHS,
comprising 20 Cases
from
SHEPHERD and BEVERIDGE.
BODY CLOTHS.
6 yards, 4 yards, 3 yards, and 2 yards.
PASSAGE CLOTHS,
2-4, ¾, 4-4.
ex Rutlandshire.
To FURNITURE WAREHOUSEMEN.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been favoured with instructions from Messrs. Mason, Brothers, to sell by auction, at the new Premises, Pitt-street, TUESDAY, 13th June, at half-past 11 a.m.,
TWENTY CASES SHEPHERD and BEVERIDGE'S FLOOR and PASSAGE CLOTHS.
Terms at sale.

Preliminary Notice.

WEDNESDAY, 14th June, at 11 a.m.

At "COMO," POTTS POINT,
the whole of the ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.
CHOICE GLASS
SUPERB CHINA
DIXON and SONS best quality ELECTROPLATE
VALUABLE PICTURES, and other effects.

TO GENTLEMEN FURNISHING, FURNITURE WAREHOUSEMEN, COMMISSION AGENTS, and GENERAL DEALERS.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, at "Como," Potts Point, on WEDNESDAY, 14th June, at 11 a.m.,
The above.
. The whole of the furniture is in splendid condition, having had but very little wear. The furniture is the special selection of the proprietor at one of the best West End houses, during his last visit to London.
Terms, cash.

NOTE.—Descriptive catalogues obtainable at the Rooms THIS DAY, at 9 o'clock.
ON VIEW on TUESDAY, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

TUESDAY, 13th June.

Under instructions from Messrs. MACDONALD, SMITH, and CO.

FOUR HUNDRED AND FIFTEEN PACKAGES
of
AMERICAN MERCHANDISE.
The latest NOVELTIES.
Just arrived per S.S. City of San Francisco.
comprising—

No.
2— 1 Case Serpentine Mahogany Washstand, M. T., containing 6
3— 1 ditto ditto Convex ditto, ditto 6
4— 1 ditto ditto ditto, ditto 4
5, 6— 2 Cases ditto ditto ditto 12
7— 1 Case ditto Walnut ditto, ditto 6
8, 9— 2 Cases Mahogany ditto, ditto 12
10— 1 Case Walnut ditto ditto 6
11, 12— 2 Cases Mahogany ditto, ditto 12
14— 1 Case Walnut ditto, ditto 6
15— 1 ditto Mahogany ditto, ditto 6
16— 1 ditto Walnut ditto, ditto 6
17— 1 ditto Mahogany ditto ditto 6
18-19— 2 Cases Walnut ditto, ditto 12
20— 1 Case Mahogany ditto ditto 4
21— 1 ditto ditto ditto, ditto 6
22-30— 9 Cases ditto No. 7 ditto, ditto 36
31— 1 Case 2 Mahogany and Walnut ditto, ditto 4
—29 Cases Marble Numbered Washstands
32-38— 7 ditto Astor Grecian R. W. Chairs, containing 7 dozen
39-42— 3 ditto Crown ditto, ditto 3
43-52—10 ditto Astor ditto Var ditto, ditto 10
53-62—10 ditto Douglas Wood Office ditto, ditto 10
63-64— 2 ditto Mahogany Bureau Marble Washstands ditto 16 only
65-66— 2 ditto Ornamental Painted Sets, No. 2, ditto 2 ditto
67-68— 2 ditto Rustic ditto, ditto 2 ditto
51-70—20 ditto Palace Chairs, No 20, ditto 20 dozen
71-80—10 ditto Washwood Oak Chairs, ditto 10 ditto
81-90—10 ditto Bent Bar-room ditto, ditto 0 ditto
91-95— 5 ditto ditto Rim Table ditto, ditto 5 ditto
96-100— 5 ditto ditto ditto Low ditto, ditto 5 ditto
100-105— 5 ditto Davis Grecian Var, ditto, ditto 5 ditto
106-110— 5 ditto Spindle ditto Oak ditto, ditto 5 ditto
111-112— 2 ditto ditto Rocker R. W. ditto, ditto 1 ditto
113-4— 2 Cases Spindle Nurse R. W. Chairs, ditto 1 ditto
115-9— 5 ditto English Cottage, imitation walnut ditto, ditto 5 ditto
120-4— 5 ditto B D., ditto, ditto 5 ditto
125-130— 6 ditto, No. 4, Sets, 3 Ornamental 3 Rustic, ditto ditto 6 only
131-134— 4 ditto, ditto 5, ditto, 2 Rustic 2 M ditto, ditto 4 ditto
135-6— 2 ditto ditto, Ornamental ditto, ditto 2 ditto
137-140— 4 ditto ditto 11, ditto, 2 ditto 2 Rustic ditto, ditto 4 ditto
157-182—40 ditto Washwood, 20 Dk. No. 7 20 Oh. No. 7 ditto, ditto 40 dozen
183-202—20 ditto Bent Quincey Oak ditto, ditto 20 ditto
203-222—20 ditto Spindlewood Dk. No. 1 ditto, ditto 20 ditto
223-227— 5 ditto York Grecian L.S. ditto, ditto 5 ditto
228-232— 5 ditto Crown ditto ditto, ditto 5 ditto
233-236— 5 ditto Davis ditto ditto, ditto 5 ditto
237-241— 5 ditto ditto, ditto gilt, ditto 5 ditto
242-251—10 ditto ditto, ditto R.W., ditto 10 ditto
251-262—10 ditto Spindle, ditto, L.S., ditto ditto 10 ditto
263-282—20 ditto Dining Chairs, 10 Oak 10 R.W., ditto 20 ditto
283-287— 5 ditto Br. Bent Dining Chairs Oak, ditto 5 ditto
288-292— 5 ditto Victoria C. B. Nurse Chairs, ditto 2½ ditto
293— 1 Case Engraved B. A. Oak and Dining Chairs, ditto 1 ditto
294— 1 ditto B. A. Banister ditto ditto, ditto 1 ditto
295— 1 ditto Cane ditto ditto, ditto 1 ditto
296,-7— 2 Cases Gothic ditto ditto, ditto 2 ditto
298-300— 3 ditto Perfect Seat ditto ditto, ditto 3 ditto
301-309— 9 ditto Franklin Nurse Chairs, 5 R.W. 4 L S., ditto 4½ ditto
310-314— 5 ditto ditto Arm Rockers, R.W., ditto 2½ ditto
315— 1 Case St. George Dining Chairs, B.M. Oak, ditto 1 ditto
316— 1 ditto Cane Centre Nurse Chairs, R.W., ditto 1 ditto
317-320— 4 Cases Prescot Arm-chairs, 3 Oak and 1 L.S., ditto 4 ditto
321-322— 2 ditto Con. Stat. Back Library Chairs, Oak, ditto 1 ditto
323— 1 Case Imperial Arm-Chairs, Oak, ditto ½ ditto
324-328— 5 Cases Douglas Cane Office Chairs, ditto 5 ditto
329-338—10 ditto Child's Grasshopper Rockers, Oak, ditto 10 ditto
343-4— 2 ditto Swiss Cottage, Maple, ditto 2 ditto
339-346— 6 ditto Chairs, 4 Floral Cottage Oak, 2 Viennese Maple ditto 6 ditto
347-8— 2 ditto Chairs, Eugene Cottage R. W., ditto 2 ditto
349— 1 Case Spiral Book Library, Bd. oak, ditto ½ ditto
381— 1 ditto C. B. Library, imitation and mar., ditto ½ ditto
382-388— 7 Cases Bell Cottage Oak, ditto 7 ditto
389-392— 4 ditto Chairs, 5 Cottage No. 5, 2 Cottage Monitor, ditto 4 ditto
393-397— 5 ditto Burnside Chairs, 3 maple, 3 oak, ditto 5 ditto
339— 1 Case Star Cottage Oak Chairs, ditto 1 ditto
399— 1 ditto Swiss ditto R.W. ditto, ditto 1 ditto
400— 1 ditto Circle-back ditto Oak ditto, ditto 2 ditto
401— 1 ditto Burnside ditto ditto ditto, ditto 1 ditto
402— 1 ditto English-Swiss ditto R.W. ditto, ditto 1 ditto
403-4— 2 Cases Oval-back Nurse ditto ditto, ditto 1½ ditto.

415 Cases.

TO FURNITURE WAREHOUSEMEN.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been favoured with instructions from Messrs. M'Donald, Smith, and Co., to sell by auction, at the New Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, on TUESDAY next, 13th June, at 11 a.m.,
The above.
Terms at sale.

W. PRITCHARD'S
ORDER OF AUCTION SALE
OF CITY AND SUBURBAN PROPERTIES,
AT HIS ROOMS,
281, GEORGE-STREET, opposite Hunter-street,
On THURSDAY next,
JUNE 15th, at 11 o'clock.

THREE CITY ALLOTMENTS OF LAND,
ELIZABETH-STREET SOUTH,
sixty feet south of Devonshire-street.

COTTAGE AND LAND,
HOLT'S-PLACE, STRAWBERRY HILL,
opposite Exhibition.

SIX CHOICE ALLOTMENTS OF LAND,
FRONTING THE STANMORE ROAD,
near the residences of W. H. M'Culloch and W. H. Paling, Esqs.,
STANMORE.

ALLOTMENTS OF LAND,
fronting Leinster and Stewart streets,
SYDNEY COMMON.

FOUR ALLOTMENTS OF LAND
fronting
MINTER-STREET and SUGAR-HOUSE ROAD,
CANTERBURY.

14 ALLOTMENTS OF LAND,
DUKE-STREET and PRINCES-PLACE,
WOOLLOOMOOLOO.

24 BUILDING SITES,
NEAR THE STEAMER'S WHARF,
RYDE,
PARRAMATTA RIVER.

SUBSTANTIAL COTTAGE and LAND,
having frontages to Crown and Ryder lanes, off Oxford-street.
SURRY HILLS.

TWO ALLOTMENTS OF LAND,
having frontages to Short-street and Old Parramatta Road,
FOREST LODGE.

TART FRUITS.
JUST ARRIVED EX TASMAN,
for Positive Unreserved Sale.

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, 14th June, at 11 o'clock,
40 cases Tasmanian tart fruits.
Terms at sale.

FENDERS.

15 Cases, NEW DESIGNS, just landed
5 Casks COUNTER WEIGHING-MACHINES.
TO-MORROW, Tuesday, 13th instant, at 11 o'clock.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, Tuesday,
B over MO in diamond,
74-76— 3 cases scroll fenders, each 36, 2 numbers in each
77-78— 2 ditto square ditto, ditto
80— 1 case ditto, ditto
81-85— 5 cases fenders, assorted, 2 numbers in each
87—24 inch scroll fenders
88—24 ditto ditto
89—48 square ditto, 2 numbers
90—24 fenders, very superior, assorted.
L in diamond,
1— 6 counter scales, each 28 and 56 lbs., tin scoops
6 ditto ditto, ditto, oblong dish
2— 1 cask similar
3—12 each 14 and 28 lbs., tin scoop
5-6— 2 casks, as above, assorted.
Terms at sale

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE
of
ORIGINAL PACKAGES OF
WOOLLENS, DRAPERY, CLOTHING, COTTON GOODS, &c.

Now landing, ex Rooparell, and other vessels.

On THURSDAY and FRIDAY next, 15th and 16th instant, at 11 o'clock each day.

To Warehousemen, Drapers, Storekeepers, and others.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY next,
Several invoices of the abovenamed goods, which will be offered in packages.
Particulars in future issue.

MONDAY, 12th JUNE,
at 50, MACLEAY-STREET, POTTS POINT.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE SALE of VERY ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
Comprising—
SUPERB CHINA
HANDSOME DINNER SERVICE
MASSIVE MAHOGANY DINING-ROOM SUITE, covered in morocco
HANDSOME MAHOGANY SIDEBOARD, Plate Drawer, Cellaret, and Plate-glass Back
MAHOGANY Dumb Waiters
OIL PAINTINGS of undoubted merit
VERY CHOICE Hand-painted Porcelain Vases
HANDSOME CARPETS and Hearthrugs
Fenders and Fireirons
SPLENDID DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, in Walnut-wood, covered in cream-coloured brocade, consisting of Couch, Easy Chair, Victoria Chair, and 6 Chairs
MAGNIFICENT TRICHORD PIANOFORTE, by John Broadwood and Sons, in rosewood frame
ELEGANT Oval Walnut Centre Table
HANDSOME HALL FURNITURE
MASSIVE LIBRARY FURNITURE
HANDSOME MAHOGANY BOOKCASE
ELEGANT DINING TABLE, with patent screw, and 3 spare leaves
HANDSOME STATE BEDSTEADS, Palliasses, Mattresses, Mosquito Curtains, &c.
Elegant Marble-slab Washstands
Toilet Tables
Toilet Glasses
MASSIVE CHESTS of DRAWERS
Bootrack
Children's Cots, Palliasses, &c.
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY UTENSILS, &c., &c.

THE CITY AUCTION COMPANY have received instructions from Alfred Lamb, Esq., to sell by public auction, at No. 50, Macleay-street, Potts Point, at 11 o'clock, THIS DAY, 12th June,
The WHOLE of his ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

Inspection is invited on SATURDAY, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and day of sale from 9 a.m.

Catalogues will be ready for distribution FRIDAY MORNING.

Terms, cash.

On SATURDAY, 17th June,
at 3 o'clock.

To Builders, Mechanics, Capitalists, and others.

EXTENSIVE SALE
of portion of the celebrated
UNDERWOOD ESTATE, PADDINGTON.

ALLOTMENTS, having frontages to
PADDINGTON-STREET
UNDERWOOD STREET
WINDSOR-STREET
HARGRAVE-STREET
SUTHERLAND-STREET
CASCADE-STREET
POINT PIPER ROAD.

TITLE: TORRENS' ACT.

TERMS: 10 per cent. Cash, 5 per cent. at 1, 2, and 3 months, balance can remain at 6 per cent. per annum.

THE CITY AUCTION COMPANY have received instructions to sell by public auction, on THE GROUND, at 3 o'clock,
on SATURDAY, 17th June,

SECTION 1.
ALLOTMENT 56, having a frontage of 20 feet to POINT PIPER ROAD.
ALLOTMENTS 71 to 73, 77, 87 to 89, each having a frontage of 20 feet to WINDSOR-STREET.

SECTION 2.
ALLOTMENTS 38 to 49, each having a frontage of 20 feet to WINDSOR-STREET.
ALLOTMENTS 69 and 70, and 83 to 89, each having a frontage of 20 feet to HARGRAVE-STREET.

SECTION 3.
ALLOTMENTS 22 to 31, each having a frontage of 20 feet to HARGRAVE-STREET.
ALLOTMENTS 57, 58, 60, and 61, each having a frontage of 21 feet to POINT PIPER ROAD.

SECTION 4.
ALLOTMENTS 66 to 76, each having a frontage of 20 feet to HARGRAVE-STREET.
ALLOTMENT 77, situate at the junction of HARGRAVE and ELIZABETH STREETS, having 20 feet frontage to former street and 105 feet to latter.

SECTION 5.
ALLOTMENTS 39, 42, and 43, each having a frontage of 20 feet to WINDSOR-STREET, by a depth of 105 feet.

SECTION 6.
ALLOTMENT 24, situate at the junction of WINDSOR and CASCADE STREETS, having 58 feet frontage to former street.
ALLOTMENT 25 situate at the junction of PADDINGTON and CASCADE STREETS.
ALLOTMENT 26, adjoining Lot 25, having 20 feet frontage to PADDINGTON-STREET.

SECTION 8.
ALLOTMENTS 27, 28, and 29, each having a frontage of 19 feet 2 inches to UNDERWOOD-STREET, by a depth of 178 feet to lane at the rear (20 feet wide).

☞ The well-known freehold property
UNDERWOOD ESTATE
Paddington and Woollahra, at one time an extreme suburb of the city, is now
THE CENTRE
of a very
LARGE INCREASING NEIGHBOURHOOD.
The progress of the suburb has been somewhat retarded by this large Estate, occupying in it the
MOST ELEVATED
and certainly the most
VALUABLE POSITION
being retained from improvements for so many years and so trammelled that it could not be disposed of.

All transmissive difficulties have now been removed, and with the numerous buildings that are erected, and now in course of erection and the INDEFEASIBLE TITLE, under TORRENS' ACT, is sufficient in itself to prove that this Estate will be one of the most prosperous Estates in the colony.

The proprietors of these allotments have now determined to offer them to
PUBLIC COMPETITION
for
ABSOLUTE SALE,
on
VERY LIBERAL TERMS.

The whole of the streets have width of 66 feet. The sites have frontages to lanes 20 feet wide at the rear, and everything has been done that good taste or mature judgment could suggest to render this estate the MOST POPULAR, as it is the most
BEAUTIFUL PORTION
of Paddington and Woollahra.

The attention of BUILDERS, MECHANICS, CAPITALISTS, SPECULATORS, and others is directed to this sale, as the whole of the above land will be sold on the above date, and every effort will be made to satisfy the requirements of intending purchasers whether desirous to secure a SINGLE ALLOTMENT or a CONTINUOUS NUMBER OF FEET frontage.

The lots are pegged on the land and purchasers can identify, without the slightest difficulty, each allotment.

Plan on view at the AUCTIONEER'S ROOMS, 175, Pitt-street.

YEEND'S-PLACE,
off PARRAMATTA-STREET.

VALUABLE BLOCK of LAND, situate in YEEND'S-PLACE, off PARRAMATTA-STREET, having 63 feet frontage, and adjoins the west side of Tooth's Brewery.

TITLE unquestionable. TERMS at sale.

THE CITY AUCTION COMPANY have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the ROOMS, Bell's-chambers, 175, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 14th June,
THE ABOVE VALUABLE BLOCK OF LAND situate in the city, close to Railway Station, on the west side of Tooth's Brewery.

IMPERATIVE SALE.

SUBSTANTIALLY-BUILT HOUSE.
Situate in MACQUARIE-STREET SOUTH,
at present in the occupation of Mr. Edward Oates.

TITLE Unquestionable. TERMS at Sale.

THE CITY AUCTION COMPANY have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Bell's-chambers, 175, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 14th June,
That really comfortable freehold property, situate in MACQUARIE-STREET SOUTH, known as BAYSWATER HOUSE, presently in the occupation of Mr. Edward Oates, built of brick on stone foundations, containing hall, verandah and balcony, 4 rooms, &c.

This property is in perfect order, not requiring an outlay of one shilling. It is well situated in a position always commanding respectable tenants.

NORTH SHORE.

COMFORTABLE WEATHERBOARD COTTAGE,
containing 4 rooms, &c., situate in
FITZROY-STREET,
close to the MILSON'S POINT FERRY.

TITLE unquestionable. TERMS at sale.

THE CITY AUCTION COMPANY have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Bell's-chambers, 175, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 14th June,
A COMFORTABLE COTTAGE RESIDENCE, situate in FITZROY-STREET, NORTH SHORE, close to the Milson's Point Ferry, at present in the occupation of Mrs. Younger, built of weatherboard on stone foundations, containing 4 rooms, cellar, verandah back and front, &c.
The land has a frontage of 25 feet by a depth of 120 feet.

. The position in this attractive suburb is most commanding, and its proximity to the ferry should secure for the property ready sale.

CHOICE FREEHOLD VILLA SITES,
VAUCLUSE, ROSE BAY,
most beautifully situated on the ELEVATED RIDGE between the NEW and OLD SOUTH HEAD ROADS, nearly opposite TIVOLI, the Estate of W. A. DUMARESQ, Esq., and commanding HARBOUR and SEA VIEWS unequalled for beauty and extent by any other position in this favourite locality.

PEREMPTORY SALE
to close Accounts,
by order of the Executors of the late HON. ROBERT TOWNS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 16th June, at 11 o'clock,
NINE VERY VALUABLE FREEHOLD VILLA SITES, a choice portion of the original subdivision of the celebrated
VAUCLUSE ESTATE,
each site containing from 2 to 4 acres each, with frontage to the Old and New South Head, Piper's, and other wide roads.

☞ The grand picturesque beauty of the above FREEHOLD SITES is little known. They command VIEWS UNSURPASSED FOR EXTENT AND BEAUTY. On the north and west a VAST PANORAMIC PICTURE meets the eye, extending from the HEADS TO THE PARRAMATTA RIVER, including the north and south shores of Port Jackson; great HARBOUR GLIMPSES broken by ISLANDS and PROMONTORIES. On the south and east are seen UMBRAGEOUS TRACTS OF HILL AND DALE extending to the PACIFIC.
The position is approached by the most DELIGHTFUL DRIVE, for scenery, IN THE WORLD, is only about four miles from the city, and the ONLY FREEHOLD LAND that can be purchased between DARLING POINT and ROSE BAY. The sites are offered in LARGE BLOCKS, to CLOSE ACCOUNTS; and, as they possess ADVANTAGES RARELY TO BE OBTAINED in the suburbs, inspection is invited. The attention of speculators, capitalists, and those seeking CHOICE AND SINGULARLY BEAUTIFUL SUBURBAN LAND, is directed to this ABSOLUTE SALE.
A plan of the subdivision can be inspected at the Rooms; and, as the main corners are marked by boundary stones, no difficulty can occur in identifying the several lots.
W. BARKER, Esq., Solicitor to the Estate.

Terms at sale.

IN the ESTATE of the LATE R. K. PILLAR, Esq.

STANMORE, NEWTOWN.

TWO BUILDING SITES, ENMORE ROAD, at the corner of EMILY-STREET.
SIX SITES EMILY, TUPPER, and COWPER-STREETS, between the properties of STEPHEN PERRY, Esq., and E. PRITCHARD, Esq.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 16th June, at 11 o'clock,
LAING'S CLEAR ESTATE,
STANMORE.
ENMORE ROAD and EMILY-STREET, TWO BUILDING SITES, being lots Nos. 5 and 6 of section 2 of the ESTATE, each having 66 FEET frontage to the ENMORE ROAD, with a depth of 198 FEET, extending to a lane at the rear; and lot 6 has also a frontage of 198 feet to EMILY-STREET.
EMILY, TUPPER, and COWPER STREETS
Six CHOICE ALLOTMENTS of land, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 12, 13, and 14 of section 3 of the subdivision, each having 66 FEET frontage, with a depth of 190 FEET, extending to a lane, 16 feet wide, at the rear.

☞ These are early selections on Laing's CLEAR ESTATE, Stanmore, between the STANMORE ROAD and ADDISON ROAD, and surrounded by highly improved properties.
They are worthy the attention of those in search of good building sites in this favourite and popular suburb, close to the Enmore 'buses, and within an easy walking distance of the Newtown Railway Station.
Plan at the Rooms.
Terms at sale.

NORWOOD, PETERSHAM.

CORNER BLOCK OF LAND, ADDISON ROAD and VICTORIA-STREET, opposite the residence of G. MAIDEN, Esq., and about five minutes' walk from the omnibus stand and railway station.

It has 138 FEET frontage to ADDISON ROAD and 101 FEET to VICTORIA-STREET.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt street, on FRIDAY, 16th June, at 11 o'clock,
The above block of land, being lots 1 to 3, section 9, township of NORWOOD.
Plan at the Rooms.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE, TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS.

SUBURBAN AND COUNTRY LANDS.

1. NORTH BONDI.
FRERICHS' Grant, 4 ACRES 3 ROODS, fronting the OCEAN, between Messrs. Marks' and Harrison's grants, and about midway between BONDI BEACH and the Lighthouse at SOUTH HEAD.

2. LIBERTY PLAINS, LIVERPOOL ROAD, between IRISH TOWN and RAILWAY LINE.
WOOD'S Grant, 40 ACRES, between Sommer's and M'Intosh's grants, north of the Liverpool Road.

3. HAWKESBURY RIVER.
KING and ROBINSON'S 35-ACRE Grant on FISHERMAN'S POINT, at the entrance of LONG REACH to MANGROVE CREEK, and about 2½ miles west of PEATE'S FERRY.

4. SHORT-STREET, PORT MACQUARIE.
ALLOTMENT LAND, one ROOD, on the east side of SHORT STREET, being part of lot 6 of section 3 of the township.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 16th June, at 11 o'clock,
The above suburban and country lands.
Plans on view at the Rooms.

LIVERPOOL ROAD, REDMIRE ESTATE,
Beyond BURWOOD.

All that BLOCK of LAND, on the LIVERPOOL ROAD, containing about 1 ACRE 3 ROODS 25 PERCHES, being portion of lot 13 of the REDMIRE ESTATE on which is a Weatherboard and Slab COTTAGE of 2 rooms, now in the occupation of Mr. Mercer.
The land has been cleared and fenced, and portion of it planted with fruit trees.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 16th JUNE, at 11 o'clock,
The above small homestead.
TITLE—TORRENS'S ACT. Messrs. FITZHARDINGE and SONS, Vendors' Solicitors.
Plan at the Rooms.

PETERSHAM RAILWAY STATION.

BEAUTIFULLY SITUATED and improved choice VILLA SITE, fronting the Railway line, WARDELL and REGENT STREETS, adjoining the Residence and Grounds of GEORGE PILE, Esq., and Mrs. MYLES, a few feet from the RAILWAY STATION.
Title, Torrens' Act.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from J. W. Cliff, Esq., to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 16th June, at 11 o'clock,
ALL THAT BLOCK OF LAND, being lot 6 of section 16 of the PETERSHAM ESTATE, having 179 feet frontage to REGENT-STREET and 134 feet to WARDELL-STREET, and a width at the rear of 188 feet.
It is securely enclosed by a substantial paling fence, with gate entrance in WARDELL-STREET. The land has been trenched round the boundaries, and otherwise improved and prepared for the erection of a villa residence by the present proprietor, who only now brings it into the market in consequence of his having decided to reside further inland.
An inspection of the site by intending purchasers is particularly requested, it being without exception the best, most elevated, and conveniently situated unoccupied VILLA SITE in the very attractive RAILWAY SUBURB of PETERSHAM.
Plan at the Rooms.
TERMS, LIBERAL—one-third cash; residue in 2 years, at 6 per cent. per annum

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STERLING CITY INVESTMENT.

CHOICE EXTENSIVE BLOCK OF CITY PROPERTY, comprising
THE ROYAL PACIFIC MAIL HOTEL, corner of Merriman-street (formerly Crown Road) and Bettington-street, near Captain Smith's, Cuthbert's, Towns', and Moore's Wharfs and SHOP adjoining
THREE WELL-FINISHED Family RESIDENCES in Merriman-street and Harbour View-terrace
SIXTEEN NEWLY - ERECTED and faithfully-built DWELLING-HOUSES in Bettington-street, opposite the entrance to the Royal Pacific Mail Steamers' Wharf.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from Mr. JAMES PARLE to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 16th June at 11 o'clock,
THE ROYAL PACIFIC MAIL HOTEL, corner of CROWN ROAD and BETTINGTON-STREET, substantially built of brick with stone foundations, and containing on the
GROUND FLOOR large bar, with all necessary fixtures and fittings, parlour and sitting-room.
FIRST FLOOR—Balcony, drawing-room, and two bedrooms.
SECOND FLOOR—Three bedrooms, the whole approached by an easy staircase, with fine lobbies at the landings.
BASEMENT—A commodious kitchen, fitted with Russell stove, and very large dry cellar with good access.
Good yard, walled in, and back entrance off Bettington-street.
Water and gas laid on to the premises throughout.
At the side of the hotel, on the BETTINGTON-STREET frontage, is a shop and dwelling, with all necessary fittings, and containing 5 apartments.
On CROWN-STREET frontage is a fine tastefully-finished Terrace of THREE FIRST-CLASS RESIDENCES, each with balconies and verandahs front and back, and containing - hall, 7 rooms, kitchen and bathroom, and fitted throughout with every necessary family convenience; good yards, enclosed with stone walls, with back gate entrances from a lane at the rear.
These houses are very tastefully finished throughout, and the internal fittings are principally of varnished cedar. The gas is laid on to the premises, and chandeliers are fitted to the principal rooms; register stoves in each of the fireplaces, and ovens in kitchens. Water laid on inside and outside the whole premises.
On BETTINGTON-STREET is HARBOUR VIEW-TERRACE, comprising ELEVEN comfortable dwelling-houses, built of brick, on stone foundations, containing each—balcony in front 5 rooms, kitchen and wash-house, with good yards; water laid on, &c., at the rear.
TWO STONE HOUSES, adjoining the above, one 4 rooms and kitchen, the other 3 rooms and kitchen, with balconies in front.
At the rear of HARBOUR VIEW TERRACE, approached by a reserved roadway from BETTINGTON-STREET, are three two-story dwelling-houses; two contain 2 rooms and kitchen, and one 3 rooms and kitchen.
TOTAL ANNUAL RENTAL, £1100.

☞ The above compact and most faithfully-built valuable block of City Freehold Property was erected under the personal supervision of the proprietor, and no expense has been spared in finishing the houses in good style throughout.
The position is the best on Miller's Point, the most elevated part, and from the dwellings there is a fine view of the greater part of the city, the harbour, the Parramatta River Balmain, North Shore, and the surrounding pretty scenery.
* It will be offered in lots to suit purchasers; and a plan of the proposed subdivision is now on view at the Rooms.
Terms, liberal, at sale.

Preliminary Notice.

ASHFIELD HEIGHTS,
SOUTH of the LIVERPOOL ROAD.

IMPORTANT EXTENSIVE SALE
ON THE GROUND
ON SATURDAY, 24th JUNE, at 3 o'clock.

That BEAUTIFULLY SITUATED and elevated BLOCK of LAND, in all ELEVEN ACRES, adjoining CARLISLE, between the ASHFIELD RAILWAY STATION and the Residence and Grounds of the Hon. H. PARKES, and close to the first-class properties of ELLALONG, the residence of GEORGE HOLDEN, Esq., Mrs. A'BECKETT'S property; the residence and property belonging to R. HALL, Esq.; and other improved suburban SEATS.
The position is most convenient, only ten minutes' walk from the ASHFIELD RAILWAY STATION, the land elevated, and in every respect very desirable for sites upon which to erect
SUBURBAN VILLA RESIDENCES,
in the best, most convenient, and favourite RAILWAY SUBURB of our METROPOLIS.
It is now in course of subdivision by Mr. Surveyor REUSS, Jun., in sites to suit all classes of purchasers, the streets being all a chain wide, and having access to the LIVERPOOL ROAD, near ALT-STREET, leading to the RAILWAY STATION.

PLAN on view at the Rooms. LITHOGRAPHS will be ready in a few days; in the meantime, particulars may be obtained at the Rooms.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, ON THE GROUND, on SATURDAY, 24th JUNE, at 3 o'clock,
The whole of the above, in lots to suit purchasers, full particulars of which will appear in a future advertisement.

TITLE—Torrens' Act.
TERMS VERY LIBERAL.

TUESDAY, June 13.

FIVE BUILDING ALLOTMENTS,
PARRAMATTA.

Part of the Old Racecourse Estate, situate at the corner of Denison and Crimea streets, Parramatta South, being lots 1, 2, 3, 19 and 20 in section 19.

JOHN TAYLOR has received instruction to sell by public auction, at his Sale Rooms, Church-street, Parramatta, on TUESDAY, 13th June, at half-past 11 o'clock.
The above allotments of land, each allotment has a frontage of 50 feet by a depth of 150 feet, and are most excellently situated building sites.

TUESDAY, 13th instant.

In the Estate of the late Mr. E. Braddick, deceased.

HOUSES and LAND,
PARRAMATTA NORTH.

JOHN TAYLOR will sell by public auction, at his Sale Rooms, Church-street, Parramatta, on TUESDAY, 13th June, at half-past 11 o'clock,
Lot 1.—A substantial two story house, brick-built, contains 6 rooms, with double shop front, spacious cellar attached, kitchen, pantry, and servants' room. In the yard there is a 4-stalled stable, sheds, stores, and hayloft, and a well of water. The ground frontage to Church-street is 87 feet by a depth of 310 feet.
This property is situated adjoining the residence of Alderman Trott, Church-street North, Parramatta, and in close proximity to Messrs. French and Son's tweed factory.
Lot 2.—A weatherboard house and ground, situate near lot 1, and adjoins Mrs. Tucker's stores, Church-street North, Parramatta, and close to Broken-back Bridge tollgate. The house contains 4 rooms; the ground frontage to Church-street is 66 feet, by a depth of 120 feet.
Lot 3.—A valuable parcel of land, situate near the Broken-back Bridge tollgate, Church-street North, Parramatta; contains about 9 acres, all enclosed, portion laid out as orchard, and the remainder now possessing a splendid crop of growing oats. The frontage to Church-street is 3 chains and 92 links, and the land is bounded on the north by Hunt's Creek.
Terms at sale.
Title good.

By order of the Mortgagee.

For Positive and Unreserved Sale.

TUESDAY, 13th June.

COMPACT LITTLE ORCHARD,
at Sherwood, near Parramatta.

JOHN TAYLOR has received instructions to sell by public auction (without reserve), at his Sale Rooms, Church-street, Parramatta, on TUESDAY, 13th June, at half-past 11 o'clock,
All those 10 acres and 2 roods of land, situated at Sherwood, fronting the main road, leading from Parramatta to Smithfield, known as the late Mr. Job King's orchard, near the western lodge entrance to A. T. Holroyd, Esq.'s estate, and about 4 miles distance from Parramatta.

The improvements are orange and summer fruit orchard, vegetable garden, small enclosed paddock and waterhole, and a 4-roomed wood building, sheds; and the whole is enclosed by a substantial fence.
Terms at sale.
Title, unquestionable.

At the Property Exchange, 267, George-street and Margaret-street.
On WEDNESDAY, 14th June, at 11 o'clock.
16 ALLOTMENTS, MOUNT GRAND VIEW, BURWOOD HEIGHTS.
To close accounts.

F. BRADLY has received instructions to sell by public auction, as above,
16 unsold allotments.
F. BRADLY, Land Salesman, 267, George-street.

At the Property Exchange, 267, George-street.
On WEDNESDAY, 14th June.
36 Acres LAND, North Sydney, Parish Willoughby.
Title, Crown Grant.

F. BRADLY has received instructions to sell by auction,
36 acres choice land, fronting Government road and Sailor's Bay.
Terms at sale.
F. BRADLY, Land Salesman, 267, George-street.

At the Property Exchange, 267, George-street.
On WEDNESDAY, 14th June.
Substantial Brick-built HOUSE, 3 rooms, No. 115, Little Gipps-street.

F. BRADLY will sell by public auction, as above,
Comfortable house, on land 15 x 60.
F. BRADLY, Land Salesman.

At the Property Exchange, 267, George-street.
On WEDNESDAY, 14th June.
ALLOTMENTS OF LAND,
at Stanmore Road.
To close a Partnership Account.
F. BRADLY, Auctioneer and Land Salesman.

At the Property Exchange,
On WEDNESDAY, 14th June,
12 ALLOTMENTS OF LAND,
Newtown, rear of Holmwood, Mrs. Dickson's property.

F. BRADLY will sell by auction, as above,
12 well-situated and eligible allotments.
F. BRADLY, Land Salesman, Property Exchange.

PARRAMATTA.

IMPERATIVE SALE
By order of the Mortgagees.

GILBERT H. SMITH has been instructed by the Mortgagees to sell by auction, on the ground, Macquarie-street, Parramatta, on TUESDAY, the 20th instant, at 11 o'clock,
All that SPLENDID BLOCK OF LAND, situate at the corner of Macquarie and O'Connell streets, adjoining Mr. VALLACK'S BREWERY, and containing 2 roods 37½ perches, with a frontage to MACQUARIE-STREET of 167½ feet, and to O'CONNELL-STREET of 190 feet. The whole block is fenced, and contains a good number of fruit-trees.
To persons requiring BUILDING SITES, this sale presents a good opportunity, being only about FIVE MINUTES' WALK FROM THE RAILWAY STATION, and fronting the PARRAMATTA PARK.
The whole will be sold in one lot.
Terms, cash.

WALHALLOW, LIVERPOOL PLAINS,
with about
75,000 Sheep
5,000 Head of Cattle
70,000 Acres Purchased Land.
&c., &c., &c.

BROADSOUND, QUEENSLAND,
with about 15,000 Head of Cattle,
&c., &c., &c.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

G. M. PITT and SON have received instructions from Messrs. George Thornton and M. S. Christian (Executors of the Estate of the late W. B. Christian) to sell by auction, in the month of July next (and with consent of surviving partners),
The above valuable properties,
without any reserve,
to close the accounts of the estate.
Full particulars in future advertisement.

Preliminary Notice.

IMPORTANT SALE.

BEATSON'S PENRITH PROPERTY.

J. T. RYAN has received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Exchange Rooms, on an early date,
The above valuable property.
Further particulars in future advertisement.
Plan to be seen at 84, King-street.

TO CAPITALISTS AND OTHERS.

F. M. OVERTON has received instructions from the Executors of the late Henry Harvey, Esq. to sell by auction, at Mr Payten's Woolpack Hotel, on WEDNESDAY, June 14, at 11 a.m.,
All that extensive block of land, situate at the corner of Harris and Macquarie streets, in the town of Parramatta, having a frontage to Harris-street of 225 feet 5 inches, and also to Macquarie-street of 213 feet 6 inches. Upon which is erected all that substantially brick-built 2-story premises, with slated roof, known as
CHILCOTT'S-BUILDINGS,
comprising 5 comfortable residences, which are all occupied by respectable tenants, within a few minutes of the steamer's wharf and railway station.
There is a well of water at the rear of the buildings.
F. M. O. would wish to call the attention of capitalists to this sale as offering a chance of obtaining one of the best letting properties in this fast improving town.
The dwellings always command tenants. The present rental is £111 16s per year.
N.B.—Harris-street will shortly be extended through Harris Fields direct to the railway station.
Title good. Terms at sale.

IMPORTANT AND ABSOLUTE SALE
(to close accounts) of
GRAND PASTORAL PROPERTY
in the Bligh District of New South Wales.

J. C. WALKER and CO., Melbourne, in conjunction with Maiden, Hill, and Clark, Sydney, have received instructions to sell by public auction, at Messrs. R. Goldsbrough's and Co.'s Wool Warehouses, Melbourne, on WEDNESDAY, 21st June next, at 2 p.m.,
Those five magnificent runs,
EUROKA, TALOORA, GUNINGA, SUSSEX, and KENT,
fenced in, and having an estimated area of about 140,000 (one hundred and forty thousand) acres, known collectively as the
EUROKA STATIONS.
on the Barwon or Upper Darling River, together with about 5000 highly-bred cattle of excellent ages, to be mustered.
The country consists of open salt and cotton bush plains, thickly grassed, of heavy carrying capacity, highly fattening, and well shaded by drooping myalls.

It is watered by (10) ten miles frontage to the Barwon or Upper Darling River, by several creeks, (3) three lagoons or lakes, as well as a billibong ten (10) miles back, which fills from the Naomi River, and which, by damming, could be made almost as permanent as the Darling itself. There is a post-and-rail ring fence round the runs of most substantial description, also paddocks for the pure cattle and horses.
There is a good home station, with fresh water well. Drafting yards on frontage and out back.
The herd is one of the best in Australia, chiefly of the "Lee" blood, and of good ages for realisation. Euroka can carry and fatten at least 60,000 sheep. The wool can be either brought to Echuca or Adelaide by steamer, or by railway from Murrurundi to Newcastle when the Darling is too low to admit of navigation; thus this property has the advantage over others on Middle or Lower Darling of having the double route, and so ensure getting wool to market in all seasons. There have been three falls of rain (total over four inches) during the last two months, and a good fattening season is secure. The sale is a bona-fide and absolute one, and therefore a very rare opportunity for purchasers.

Terms:—One-third cash; balance 1, 2, and 3 years, bearing interest at the rate of 7 per cent.
For letters to inspect the property, maps, and Government description, or other information, apply to J. C. WALKER and CO., 102, Bourke-street West, Melbourne; or MAIDEN, HILL, and CLARK, 171, Pitt-street Sydney.

FUNERALS.

THE MEMBERS of the YOUNG AUSTRALIA Lodge, No. 25, P. A. F. S. A., and of the Order are invited to attend the Funeral of our late Brother J. A. ROSS, from his late residence, Liverpool and Victoria streets, Darlinghurst, THIS DAY, at 2 o'clock, to Haslem's Creek. J. C. PETTIT, Secretary.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. JAMES A. ROSS are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, Liverpool and Victoria streets, Darlinghurst, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter to 2 o'clock, to Necropolis. C. KINSELA and SONS, Oxford and George streets.

THE FRIENDS of SAMUEL MERRICK are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved STEPSON, James A. Ross; to move from his late residence, Liverpool and Victoria streets, Darlinghurst, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, to Necropolis. C. KINSELA and SONS, Oxford and George streets.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. EDWIN DIXON are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Jane V.; to move from his residence, 48, Engine-street, Ultimo, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock, to Necropolis. C. KINSELA and SONS, George-st., op. Christ Church; Oxford-st., nr. Crown-st.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. CHARLES GOUGH are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased FATHER-IN-LAW, John Henry Young; to move from his late residence, 247, Elizabeth-street, corner of Bathurst-street, on TUESDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock.

THE FRIENDS of Mrs. SUSAN BINGHAM are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her deceased FATHER, John Henry Young; to move from his late residence, 247, Elizabeth-street, corner of Bathurst-street, on TUESDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. WILLIAM MARSHALL are invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased WIFE, Mary; to move from 99, Duke-street, Woolloomooloo, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for the Necropolis. J. and G. SHYING and CO., Undertakers, 120, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of WILLIAM and JOHN BRENNAN are invited to attend the Funeral of their deceased SISTER, Mary Marshall; to move from 99, Duke-street, Woolloomooloo, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock. J. and G. SHYING and CO., 719, George-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. WILLIAM BYRNE are invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased SISTER-IN-LAW, Mary Marshall; to move from 99, Duke-street, Woolloomooloo, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for the Necropolis. J. and G. SHYING and CO., Undertakers, 120, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. ROBERT CRAIGIE are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral, THIS (Monday) MORNING; to move from his late residence, Glebe Road, at 11 o'clock, for Devonshire-street Cemetery. W. STEWART, Undertaker, Bathurst-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. ISRAEL GREEN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased beloved WIFE, Mary Ann; to move from his residence, Niagara Cottage, Pitt-street, Waterloo, THIS AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock, for Necropolis. THOMAS, Undertaker, 141, York-street.

AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL.

Lessee and Manager.................... Mr. Samuel Lazar.
Treasurer.................................. Mr. James Booty.

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THIS (Monday) EVENING, June 12,
Shakespeare's brilliant play,
MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING.
BEATRICE.................... Mrs. SCOTT-SIDDONS
Benedict.......................... Mr. G. D. Chaplin.
Supported by the full strength of the Royal dramatic company.

NOTICE.
Mrs. SCOTT-SIDDONS
will repeat her
GREAT IMPERSONATION
of
LADY MACBETH,
which on Saturday night received a PERFECT OVATION, at an early date, of which due notice will be given.

Doors open at half-past 7 precisely. Overture at 8 o'clock. Carriages at 10.30.

Box Office, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., at J. R. Clarke's, 317, George-street, where seats for the Dress Circle may be secured in advance, and tickets for all parts of the house, to prevent crushing and inconvenience at night.

Tickets purchased during the day admitted at 7 o'clock.
SAMUEL LAZAR.

WILSON'S
MAMMOTH ROMAN HIPPODROME
and
GREAT SAN FRANCISCO CIRCUS.

THREE COMPANIES COMBINED IN ONE.

ALL FOR ONE PRICE OF ADMISSION,
AND THAT PRICE A TRIFLE,
to witness the
GRANDEST EXHIBITION EVER PRODUCED.

THE GREATEST SHOW IN THE WORLD.
300 MEN and HORSES.

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES.

The magnitude and great variety of this colossal performance CANNOT BE DESCRIBED; must be seen to be believed.

LAST NIGHTS! LAST NIGHTS!
EMBRACE THE OPPORTUNITY, YOU
NEVER WILL LOOK ON
ITS LIKE AGAIN.

Popular Prices for the Million!

Grand stand......................	4s
Family circle and stalls...........	2s
Pit...................................	1s

I am determined that everybody in Sydney shall see my crowning effort in producing a gigantic, moral, interesting, and refined amusement.

RECREATION FOR THE MILLION

worth ten times the price of admission. Take the children and make your firesides happy with the prattle of their innocent description of what they have seen and heard.

Facts speak for themselves, and when we assert that we have a splendid, talented and complete Circus, both in performers and horses, we only state facts that have been proved and acknowledged by the Public, the Press, and the Profession. Since our last visit to Sydney, ten years ago, we have visited almost every part of the Old and New Worlds, and have received the plaudits of millions (of course many of them coming several times) for so varied, so interesting, and so amusing is our entertainment that nobody ever tires of it. Remembering how well you patronised us, and so deeply do we appreciate your kindness that we feel determined to outdo all our former efforts, and produce an entertainment worthy of your support. Wilson's Circus has become a household world nearly all over the world—to big and little. Ah! yes, many big ones were little enough when their hearts beat double tatoo when our grand circus, headed by the band chariot, the caparisoned horses, the cunning little ponies, and the old clown burst on their view. Here the scenes of the past, the early days, return to their memory—joyous souls with bright beaming faces, old age with its contented smile, youth with all its sounding gladness, and virgin happy childhood screaming with delight, all turning to
WELCOME WILSON'S GRAND CIRCUS!

MASONIC PICNIC.—Lodge WOOLLOOMOOLOO, No. 386, S. C. intend celebrating the Festival of St. John, by a GRAND PICNIC, at Athol Gardens, on TUESDAY, the 27th instant. A splendid Band and commodious Steamer have been engaged for the occasion.
JOSEPH M'NEILLY, R.W.M.
HENRY DAVIES, Secretary.

SPENCER'S ROYAL POLYTECHNIC, 222, Pitt-street.—Open daily from 10 a.m. till 10 p.m. Admission, 1s. Concert every night at 8. Established six years.

ROVER'S CRICKET CLUB.—Annual DINNER, next WEDNESDAY, Masonic Hall. Young Australian Band will perform selections during the evening. GEORGE READ, Secretary.

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THACKERAY AMONG THE SPIRITS.
A Peaceful Ending.
"And my Heart throbbed with an exquisite bliss."

NOTICE.

Mr. CLARK'S Farewell Season in Sydney will positively close on THURSDAY next, and the following are the arrangements for the remaining three nights:—
TO-MORROW—THACKERAY (last time).
WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY—OLIVER GOLDSMITH.

Reserved seats, 3s; area, 2s; gallery, 1s.
Plan of seats at Elvy's. Area and gallery tickets at Elvy's and Clarke's.

ENTRANCES—Important Notice.

** To prevent confusion and disappointment, visitors securing seats in advance will be admitted by the side entrance. Persons purchasing Front Seat Tickets at the doors will go in by the Central Entrance.
To commence at 8 o'clock. Carriages at 10.
R. S. SMYTHE.

REV. CHARLES CLARK'S FAREWELL.—Mrs. Major Ponto requests the pleasure of everybody's company, TO-NIGHT. "Ung pu de Musick." Carriages at 10.

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Between the Acts the ORCHESTRA will play selections from IL TROVATORE, and the Winning Waltzes, composed by
Mr. THOMAS ZEPLIN.

NOTICE.

Tickets for stalls, upper circle, pit, and gallery will be obtainable at the Dress Circle entrance of the Victoria Theatre, on and after SATURDAY, June 10, from 11 till 4.

Box Office now open daily, from 10 till 4, at Elvy and Co.'s, George-street, where seats can be secured for the dress circle.

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CROWDED HOUSES EVERY EVENING.
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CHINESE GIANT.
Tremendous excitement every evening.

The tallest man in Sydney stood under his arm on Saturday night, and looked a Dwarf alongside this
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DON'T MISS SEEING HIM,
GIANT! GIANT!
Height, 7 feet 11 inches
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BORN IN NORTH CHINA.
The TALLEST and HEAVIEST man ever seen in the Southern Hemisphere.

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Mrs. HILTON
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Concluding every evening with a screaming Farce or Burlesque, in which the inimitable
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SECURE YOUR SEATS EARLY.
Prices as usual.
Tickets at Kirby's, bookseller, Pitt-street.
Doors open at half-past 7, overture at 8 sharp.
MR. WALTER CARLE, Stage Manager.

NOTICE to Ticket-holders.—The RAFFLE for Black Pony comes off on TUESDAY NIGHT, at half-past 8 o'clock, 13th June, at Mr. D. RYAN'S, Parramatta-street; not on the 20th as advertised.

BUSINESS CARDS.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH 10s per tooth. 143, William-street, Woolloomooloo; hours, 4 to 8.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH.—Inimitable and painless Dentistry.—Mr. GUSTAVUS GABRIEL, 20, Wynyard-square. No connection with any other person in N. S. W. Consults daily, 10 a.m. till 4 p.m.

ALFRED ALLEN (Agent for the Australian Mutual Provident Society), Auctioneer, Land, and Estate Agent. Letters addressed 108, Pitt-street.

CARD.—F. BRADLY has removed from 183, Pitt-street, to Margaret-street, next corner of George-street, where he intends holding Sales of Property every WEDNESDAY.

EASTWAY, BROTHERS, 417, George-street, is the cheap place for goods of all sorts.

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GLUE'S Labour Agency, 176, Pitt-street. Labour of every description hired and forwarded.

HILTON BROWNE and CO., Seedsmen, 239, Pitt-street (down gateway), near Victoria Theatre.

HORSES properly clipped and singed when required, at Hagerty's Stables, South Head Road, nr. Brewery.

HOT BATHS are now ready from 7 a.m. till 8 p.m.; Saturdays, till 10 p.m.
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MR. J. SPENCER, Dentist, 8, Wynyard-square, awarded the N. S. W. Exhibition Medal for 1876, being the seventh year successively, for Artificial Teeth, against all competitors. Also THE LONDON INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION MEDAL for 1874. Painless extraction by aid of NITROUS-OXIDE GAS.

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BOROUGH COUNCIL NOTICES.

BOROUGH OF NEWTOWN.

PROPOSED ISSUE OF DEBENTURES.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the Municipal Council of Newtown to borrow the sum of THREE THOUSAND (3000) POUNDS sterling, by the issue of thirty (30) debentures of one hundred (100) pounds each, payable on the 30th day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, for the purposes of liquidating the present debts of such Council, and carrying on permanent improvements within the said borough.

The interest on such debentures will be payable half-yearly on the 31st day of December and 30th day of June, in each year, at the rate of six pounds per centum per annum, and, with the principal moneys, will be paid at the Town Hall, Newtown.

Such debentures will be secured upon the general rates of the Borough, which are estimated at sixteen hundred (1600) pounds per annum.

SEALED TENDERS for such Debentures (specifying the amount offered for each and the number required) will be received by the undersigned until 4 o'clock p.m. on TUESDAY, July the 4th, 1876.
By order of the Mayor.
C. J. BANKS, Council Clerk.
Town Hall, Newtown, June 10, 1876.

TENDERS.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are invited for the erection and completion of a Cottage at Burwood. Plans and specifications may be seen on application to Mr. ANDREW KERIN, Burwood, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before Tuesday, the 13th instant.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are required for large additions to premises situate at the corner of Goulburn and George streets. Plans and specifications may be seen at Mr. HILLY'S Office, 138, Pitt-street.

TENDERS are invited until 24th instant, for Erection of a Villa on Hereford Estate, Glebe Point. Plans, &c., at my Office, 183, Pitt-street, opposite City Bank.
FERDINAND REUSS, Jun., Architect.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS will be received until the 26th INSTANT, for the Erection and Completion of a first-class WAREHOUSE in Parker-street, Haymarket, for Messrs. A. Hordern and Sons.
Works can be tendered for as follows:—
1st. Excavation, masonry, and brickwork.
2nd. Carpentry, joinery, and finishing trades.
3rd. Or the whole in one sum.
Plans and Specifications to be seen at the office of the undersigned, Bell's-chambers, Pitt-street.
ALBERT BOND, City Architect.

IN THE INSOLVENT ESTATE OF LEWIS SOLOMON General Storekeeper, Albury (lately trading as Solomon, Brothers).

TENDERS are invited for the purchase of the Stock-in-trade of a General Storekeeper, now on the premises at Albury, consisting of Drapery, Ironmongery, Grocery, and miscellaneous goods in a country store.

Inventories can be seen, with the stock-in-trade, on the premises, at Albury, and a duplicate stock list at the offices of Messrs. R. GOLDSBROUGH and COMPANY, Bourke and William streets, Melbourne; also at the office of the Official Assignee, 181, Castlereagh-street, Sydney. Sealed tenders will be received by the Official Assignee, Sydney, up to 4 o'clock on FRIDAY, the 23rd June, now current.
ROBERT HAMILTON SEMPILL, Official Assignee.
181, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

TENDERS.—Contractors are hereby reminded that the Tenders for enlargement of Cherbon House, and for the Glebe Point Stabling and Offices, are to be delivered at my office THIS DAY. F. REUSS, Junior, Architect.

FOR SALE, by TENDER, the clearing away of two houses in Clarence-street. Apply at H. DINGWALL'S, Brass Finisher, Erskine-street, between hours of 10 and 12 a.m.

MUNICIPALITY OF PENRITH.—TENDERS are invited for the following works, until 10 a.m. on THURSDAY, 22nd instant:—
1. For gravelling from Mrs. Rolston's corner towards Creek Hill.
2. For tabling and forming North-street, and making approaches to bridge in Evan-street.
3. For gravelling Castlereagh Road, near Durbin's, Lower Castlereagh.
4. For gravelling in Penrith, from High-street to Grimes's gate.
5. For repairs to bridge, Castlereagh Road, near Mr. Stuart's.
Plans, specifications, and agreements may be seen at the Chambers.
JOHN PRICE, Council Clerk.
June 8, 1876.

TO STONEMASONS.—TENDERS wanted, for Foundations of 3 Houses, top of William-street; labour only. For plans, &c., apply on the works, at 12 o'clock. J. BRIERLEY.

TENDER.—Borough of East St. Leonards.—TENDERS are invited for the supply of 100 tons of Ironstone. To be sent in to the undersigned on or before the 30th instant.
GEO. L. COLEMAN, Council Clerk.
7th June, 1876.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS will be received on the 17th, for Carpenters and Joiners' work, in the erection of a Villa, Coach-house, and Stabling, Elizabeth Bay Point.
THOMAS ROWE, Architect,
Vickery's-chambers, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are invited on 24th instant for the erection of 5 Houses, in Cooper-street, near Abercrombie-street, Glebe. Plans and specification to be seen at 130, Pitt-street, Terry's-chambers.
WILLIAM BOLES, Architect.

TO MEDICAL MEN.—TENDERS are invited from legally qualified Medical Men willing to supply for one year from July 1st, 1876, Medicines and Medical Attendance to the Members of the Loyal Stranger's Friend Lodge of Oddfellows, Goulburn, and to their wives and children under fourteen years of age. Average number of members to be attended, 105. Specification of duties may be learned on application to H. J. PEARD, HERALD Office, Goulburn. Tenders, endorsed "Tender for Medical Attendance," must be in the hands of the Secretary, H. J. PEARD, by 6 p.m. on THURSDAY, 22nd instant.

HORSES AND VEHICLES.

BUGGIES! BUGGIES! WAGGONS! CARTS, &c.
The largest, cheapest, and best assortment in the colony. Buggies, £26; Waggons, £26; Spring-carts, £13, at
ROBERTSON'S
STEAM COACH and BUGGY MANUFACTORY,
Pitt-street, near Haymarket.
N.B.—Country visitors are invited to inspect the work.

IRISH STEW and JANITOR.

T. S. CLIBBORN have for PRIVATE SALE:—
The well-known racehorses
b g IRISH STEW (full brother to Haricot, winner of the Melbourne Cup), 3 years, by Lady Kirk out of Saucepan
ch c JANITOR, 3 years, by Kelpie out of Juanita.

The performances of these horses are too well known to need comment. Reference to the sporting papers will show that they have scored nearly twenty victories for their owner during the last six weeks. They are most favourably engaged for the forthcoming season, and are in grand condition and quite sound.

These horses will be on view at FENNELLY'S Bazaar, Pitt-street, on the 12th and 13th instant, where full particulars as to price, &c., may be obtained.

STRONG Quiet Van or Buggy HORSE, for £10. Apply Mr. BIGGS, Butcher, Waverley.

FOR SALE, a young, strong, useful HORSE, suitable for warehousemen. Dominic's Stables, Prince-street.

WANTED, 10 Saddle HORSES and 10 Pack HORSES. Apply Pack Horse Inn, Haymarket.

PONY for SALE; go in harness, carry lady or gentleman; Saddle, Bridle. M. Holroyd, 11, Bridge-st.

PAIR staunch Buggy HORSES, £25; bay quiet buggy and saddle Horse, £14; Pony, £12. KNIGHT.

COVERED WAGGON, pair nuggetty Horses and Harness, £65; Horse, Spring-cart and Harness, £20.

HOODED Double-seat Buggy, £30; Hooded Sociable, £35; Hooded Phaeton, £30; Gig, £12. Knight.

AMERICAN BUGGY, £25; Abbott's Tray Buggy, £20; first-class Dog-cart, £18; S. Cart, £6. Knight.

AMERICAN HARNESS.—Best quality single and double Buggy and Carriage Harness. Express Waggon and Cab Harness. BARRON, MOXHAM, and CO., Importers, 50, Clarence-street.

AMERICAN BUGGIES, Doctors' Phaetons, Express Waggons, and Perambulators; Carriage Material, Ash and Hickory Plank. BARRON, MOXHAM, and CO., Importers, 50, Clarence-street.

FOR SALE, Buggies, double and single; good Rockaway. Haining and Schimel, 233, Castlereagh-st.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

PIANOFORTE.—For SALE, one of Aucher Freres' trichord oblique PIANOS, in walnut case, full compass and good tone. Price £30. Also, a good plunge BATH, enclosed in panelled cedar case with cover, forming a cabinet. Apply 160, Phillip-street.

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ELVY and CO.'S SEMI-GRAND PIANOS.
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Our very large stock of Music embraces every description in demand. It is constantly receiving large additions, and it is our endeavour to include the newest popular novelties.

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PIANOS.—For SALE, Bord PIANO, nearly new, cost £45. 148, Albion-street, S. H., near Crown-street.

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CLOCKS.—A large, cheap, and extensive assortment, from 7s 6d to £20. Ellis, 220, Pitt-st., op. Farmer's.

SPECTACLES.—Fine steel frames, with crystal lenses, 3s to 5s 6d pair. Ellis, 220, Pitt-street, op. Farmer's.

SPECTACLES, 1s. Brazilian Pebbles made to order. Mr SOLOMON, Qualified Optician, 689, George-st.

FIRST Class Glass CASES, for floor and counter, required at J. B. Holdsworth's, 458, George-street.

FOR SALE, 1000 BIRDS, different varieties, always on hand. W. NEAVES, George-street Markets.

TANKS.—400 Gallons, best London make, on SALE. J. T. and J. TOOHEY, Standard Brewery.

TORTOISESHELL purchased, in small or any quantities. HURLEY and CO., 410, George-street.

FOR SALE, CARGO Sawn Hardwood Timber ex Kate; prime Cedar. HEALEY, Victoria Wharf.

FENDERS.—Fire Irons, Coal Vases and Scuttles, Cooking Stoves, Galley Ranges, colonial Ovens and kitchen Requisites; tin and japanned goods, large stocks. W. FOY, 278, and 280, George-street.

TO GROCERS.—Small COFFEE-MILL for SALE, cheap. DINE and CO., 101, George-street.

ONE or two Ladies, with little capital, can hear of a genteel undertaking. "No shop." Principals only. Z., Post-office, Oxford-street.

WANTED, STORES, with immediate possession. Apply Griffiths and Co., Spring-street.

WASTE PAPER, WASTE PAPER, for SALE, in quantities, 18s 8d. per cwt. Apply at HERALD Office.

WANTED, a good second-hand DUMPY LEVEL; stand and staff complete. Address, stating price, X. Y. Z., Post-office Paddington.

WANTED to Lease, moderate sized grazing FARM, with moderate improvements, near South'n line, between Sydney and Goulburn. For particulars, apply to W. M. Brownrigg, No. 19, Hunter-street.

PROFESSIONS, TRADES, ETC

APPLICATION in writing will be received by the undersigned, up to TUESDAY next, the 13th instant, for the position of SECRETARY to I. V. A., of New South Wales. J. B. OLIFFE, President.

BOOTMAKERS wanted, for youths', women's, and children's boots. Hunter's Boot Factory Castlereagh-st.

BOOKKEEPING, &c.—Evening EMPLOYMENT wanted. Address Z., Cooper's, Railway Bridge.

BUTCHERS.—Wanted a good HAND for cart round. G. Stenning, 215, William-street.

BOOTMAKERS.—Wanted, Youths for riveting, also Slipper makers. Apprentices wanted. Mathews, 414, Crown-street, Surry Hills.

COMPETENT CLERK required, good writer, with references. R. W. Conway, 221, Pitt-street.

DRESSMAKER for the country. Apply H. French, 37, Oxford-street.

GOVERNESS: Usual branches, music (theory), singing, seeks Engagement; highest refs. Viv, H. O.

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY.—Wanted, FENCERS and SPLITTERS. Apply on the works, Murrurundi. W. Wakeford, contractor.

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY.—Wanted, Four BRICKMAKERS; plenty of work, and highest price given. Apply to C. Coutts, Murrurundi.

LAW.—Wanted, an Assistant Conveyancing CLERK. Address, stating references and salary required, to Lex, Box 109, Post Office.

TAILORESSES.—Coat, Trousers, Vest HANDS and Apprentices wanted. 217, Lower George-street.

TAILORESSES.—First-class Trouser HANDS at once. Joseph Bullard clothier, 360 George street.

TO TAILORS.—First-class Coat HANDS wanted immediately. Joseph Bullard, 360, George-street.

TO TAILORS.—Wanted, a good COATMAKER. Whitley and Co., 456, George-street.

TO CHAIRMAKERS.—Wanted Tenders for making 200 Chairs. A. Hordern and Sons, 756, George-st.

TO DRAPERS.—Wanted, 2 ASSISTANTS. Rush and Rousseau, 418, George-street.

TO DRAPERS.—Wanted, a Junior HAND. J. Kingsbury, Newtown.

TO DRAPERS.—Wanted, a JUNIOR; also Lad, as PORTER &c. J. Kingsbury, Newtown.

TO PRINTERS.—Wanted, Lithographic Printer; must be competent in transferring work. S. S., HERALD.

TO BAKERS.—Wanted, Baker and Small-goods Maker, for the country. Glue's, 176 Pitt-street.

TO SLOPWORK CUTTERS.—A competent CUTTER wanted. Apply immediately, E. D. Price, 54, Margaret-street.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, immediately, good Trousers HAND. E. D. Price, wholesale clothing manufacturer, Margaret-street.

TO TAILORESSES.—Thomas G. Pascoe, clothing manufacturer, Wynyard-lane, is prepared to ENGAGE a considerable number of competent Coat, Trousers, and Vest Hands.

WANTED, a DRESSMAKER, by the day; also Improvers. 5, Agnes-terrace, Victoria-st., Ultimo.

WANTED, 2 good BUSH HANDS, used to clearing and splitting. £30 per annum, rations. 320, Geo.-st.

WANTED, a WHEELWRIGHT. Apply A. J. Goodwin, 85, Bathurst-street.

WANTED, a good JOINER. Apply early, 172, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a CARPENTER and SHINGLER. Butchers' Arms, St. Peters, Cook's River Road.

WANTED, good Rubble MASON. A. Kimberley, cemetery, Randwick.

WANTED, 2 QUARRYMEN. Apply to A. Urquhart, at the quarry, Waverley.

WANTED, a Coach VYCEMAN. T. Moore, Oxford-street, opposite Courthouse.

WANTED, Dressmaker's ASSISTANT. Apply 149, Darlinghurst Road, opposite Alberto-terrace.

WANTED, Blacksmith's HELPER, for Railway work, at Robertson's coach factory, Pitt-street.

WANTED, MACHINIST, Wheeler and Wilson. Mrs. Chancelor, 265, Crown-st., Surry Hills, nr. Oxford-st.

WANTED, UPHOLSTERER and Carpet Planner. Constant Employment. Read, Old Telegraph Office.

WANTED, APPRENTICES and IMPROVER for Tailoring. 189, Crown-street, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, three TAILORS—Coat, Vest, and Trouser Hands; constant work, at R. Webb and Co's., Bathurst.

WANTED, a PAINTER, for a few days. Apply A. Cunningham, back of Allerton's-buildings, Pyrmont Bridge Road, Glebe.

WANTED, an APPRENTICE, as tinplate worker and ironmonger, age about 16, open for a week. Apply A. Fletcher, 67, Parramatta-street.

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A YOUNG GIRL wants a SITUATION, light work, or Housemaid. Apply 443, Kent-street.

BARMAID of good address, references; also Dressmaker, for few days. Simpson's Exchange Hotel, Pitt-st.

COMPETENT Laundress wants Family WASHING. B. G., 115, Upper William-street E., Rushcutter Bay.

CAPTAINS of Sailing or Steamships, Proprietors of Hotels, Boarding Houses, Restaurants, requiring Chinese COOKS and STEWARDS can be supplied on the shortest notice by applying to Chee For, Chinese Boarding-house, 112, Gloucester-street, Sydney.

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LAW.—ACCOUNTANT, with London and Sydney experience, open to engagement—Costs, Abstract, Engrossing, and general routine. A. B., Messrs. Poulton and Begbie, stationers, Pitt-street.

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WANTED, a Family's WASHING, or Hotel's. Apply 16, Nicholas-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, Situation as Gardener, in town or suburbs; good ref. Apply by letter, to H. H., HERALD.

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WANTED, a Situation for mother and girl as HOUSEMAID. Mrs. Dunn, 284, Castlereagh-st.

WANTED, SITUATION, as Nurse and to assist in housework, by experienced person. 83, William-st.

WANTED, by a young Woman, a SITUATION, as Nurse or Housemaid. H. Z., Pierce, William-st.

WANTED, by respectable Person, SITUATION, as general servant. Mihell, Botany Road.

WANTED, a SITUATION as Cook and Laundress; excellent references. H. A., 33 Lower Campbell-st.

WANTED, a SITUATION as Nurse and Needlewoman. Address, J. M., HERALD Office.

WANTED, a SITUATION as Housemaid. Protestant. References. The Home. 23 Cowper-terrace.

WANTED, by a steady Person, a SITUATION, as Cook and Laundress, or General Servant, in a family of two. Address A. B., HERALD Office.

WANTED by an experienced Person, a SITUATION, as Drover, or Overseer over a cattle station; good references. Apply A. Z., Post-office, Merriwa.

SERVANTS WANTED.

A TIDY GIRL wanted, assist in housework, &c. 131, Forbes-street, Woolloomooloo.

BOY wanted, as MESSENGER. Apply head waiter, Café, next General Post Office.

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STRONG LAD wanted. Apply at Coal Depot, Pitt-street, Circular Quay.

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WANTED, a smart BOY, to mind office. H. Truman, 137, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a smart LAD for a boot shop. 9 and 10, Market-buildings, George-street.

WANTED, a sharp LAD. Pierce, Stanley and Yurong streets.

WANTED, a BOY, to deliver meat. W. Conlin, Burk-street, Chippendale.

WANTED, two BOYS, or GIRLS. Collins and Co., 277, Sussex-street.

WANTED, a respectable BOY, for the bakehouse. J. Howell, corner of George and Hunter streets.

WANTED, a tidy GIRL, to nurse and make herself useful. 69, William-street.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL, for housework. 32, College-street, Hyde Park.

WANTED, a strong Girl, as NURSE. Apply Livingstone House, Ultimo.

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WANTED, for office, YOUTH, about 16; with experience preferred. S. A., HERALD.

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WANTED, a General SERVANT. 155, Sherwin-terrace, Elizabeth-street, near Market-street.

WANTED, General SERVANT; also, strong GIRL, for housework. Watt, Chester Lodge, Camperdown.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply Ship Inn, Circular Quay.

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WANTED, a General SERVANT—one that understands washing and cooking. Harrington-street

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply 69, Elizabeth-street, near Hunter-street.

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WANTED, good General SERVANT. Mrs. Atkinson, 143, Lower George-street.

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